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THE WEATHER.

Cloudy Tuesday; Wednesday unsettled; moderate southwest winds.

☞For full weather report see Page 16.

SULZER WARNS TAMMANY OFF

Gets Promise That His Administration Will Not Be Hampered by Machine.

HAS TALK WITH MURPHY

Conference Here with Governor-Elect Doing Most of the Talking.

BOSSES IN THE BACKGROUND

Murphy and Others to Stay Away from the Inaugural Ceremonies To-morrow.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 30.—As the stage is being cleared at Albany for the ushering in of a new Democratic administration and for the activities of a new Democratic Legislature, so completely dominated by Tammany Hall that responsibility for what it does or leaves undone inevitably must be shouldered by that organization, scores of Democrats who have arrived here for the inauguration of Gov.-elect William Sulzer are asking these questions:

Is the Tiger about to change his stripes? Is Tammany about to turn over a new leaf and bring forth fruits meet unto repentance?

Some Tammany men, influential enough in the councils of the organization to assume the right of being its spokesmen, are already on the scene. Professions of noble intent and an eye single to the public good by leaders of the party in power are just as common at this season as the violation of such solemn pledges by the same leaders after the legislative wheels have begun turning in real earnest. But on this occasion there have been many signs to indicate that for once Tammany Hall may pleasantly surprise the people of this State.

The general tenor of the Tammany programme in the Legislature was mapped out at a conference held in New York one night last week. Mr. Murphy was there to meet Gov.-elect Sulzer and some prospective Tammany leaders in the Legislature.

The conference is said to have been mostly monologue, with the Governor-elect doing the talking and the Tammany Chieftain listening. Mr. Sulzer, it is said, told Mr. Murphy very frankly what his plans were, and expressed the hope that there would be harmony and co-operation on the part of the organization and its representatives in the lawmaking body. It is said also that the Governor-elect merged from the council room very well satisfied with the outcome of the conference, though one or two of the Tammany men present were noticeably bored and professed to be unable to see things as Mr. Sulzer saw them.

One argument brought forward at the conference in support of the plea for this new Tammany policy of pleasing the people was the hope of victory in the municipal election in New York next year. The police scandals have caused Mr. Murphy and the men who aid him in shaping the policy of the Tammany organization a lot of worry. This fact, it is said, was largely responsible for the attitude he assumed at the Syracuse Convention, where he failed to assert his authority and prevent the nomination of Mr. Sulzer.

Salary Seekers Turned Down.

As illustrative of the new spirit in which the spokesmen of Tammany Hall, in the Legislature, which will convene here on Wednesday, approach their task, it may be mentioned that a half-dozen powerful politicians, who hold office under the New York City administration, have approached these legislative leaders-to-be with demands for legislation to increase their salaries. They have all been turned down, it is said, with the sanction of Mr. Murphy. These men have been told that no charter tinkering will be undertaken at the present session, and that this is the wrong time to presume on friendships and on pull in the organization, for the purpose of feathering their own nests.

Word came this afternoon that Gov.-elect Sulzer would not reach the Capitol until to-morrow. The news, which came simultaneously, that he would journey to the scene of his future activities in the company of William Randolph Hearst, did not cause the shock or give rise to the anger in the breast of Tammany leaders here that it would have two years ago. Mr. Hearst is now looked upon as well within the Democratic breastworks.

Bosses Not to be Welcomed.

While preparations are being made here for the inaugural ceremony, which will be held at noon on Wednesday, there is on hand a much smaller advance guard of organization men than in other years. The fact that Mr. Murphy has begged to be excused is said to be responsible for this. The benevolent purpose of the Tammany chieftain in thus effacing himself when he might have occupied a front seat was explained by one of his followers here, who said that he renounced the pleasure for the good of the Sulzer administration, and that Democratic leaders from other parts of the State who have earned for themselves titles as bosses have been requested for the same good reason to keep away.

The preliminary activities of the coming session will begin to-morrow, when both parties will hold their caucuses for the purpose of nominating candidates for President pro tem and Clerk of the Senate and for Speaker and Clerk of the Assembly.

Senator Robert F. Wagner, who displayed ability as President Pro Tem. in the present Senate, will be placed in nomination again at the caucus to-morrow night. Assemblyman Alfred E. Smith of the Second (Manhattan) District, who was Democratic leader in the lower house for two sessions, is slated for Speaker. It was stated to-night that in all probability the Democratic leadership in the lower house would go to Aaron J. Levy, who represents the Fourth Assembly District of Manhattan.

Plan a Short Session.

The Legislature will meet at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening. In other years an adjournment for a week or ten days generally has been ordered after the opening session to give the Speaker and Lieutenant Governor time to make their assignments to the standing committees. This year the watchword is for a short and business-like session, and in all probability the adjournment will only be until Monday night.

Gov.-elect Sulzer and Mrs. Sulzer are expected here to-morrow afternoon. With Mr. and Mrs. William R. Hearst, they will be entertained at dinner by Martin H. Glynn, Lieutenant Governor-elect. After dinner Mr. and Mrs. Sulzer will attend the inaugural charity ball, which is being given under the auspices of Troop B, Albany's crack mounted troop.

Gov. and Mrs. Dix have left the Executive Mansion, and gone to live at their Albany residence, which has remained closed since the election of Gov. Dix two years ago.

CONDEMNED MAN CAN'T WED.

British Home Secretary Denies Plea to Save Child from Shame.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Should a murderer, who has been sentenced to death, be allowed to marry the woman of whose unborn child he is the father?

This is the social problem which has arisen in the case of John Williams, who was condemned to death a fortnight ago for the murder of a Police Inspector at Eastbourne. He appealed for permission to marry Florence Seymour, his sweetheart, who gave evidence in his behalf at the trial. The Home Office denied his plea, and the woman gave birth to a child on Sunday night.

Williams, through the prison chaplain, appealed to the Home Secretary for permission to marry Miss Seymour in time to save his child from the shame of illegitimacy. He wrote:

"I want to marry my girl, Florence Seymour, before her child is born. Will you give permission? If you do, it will have to be given forthwith."

The Home Secretary had to consider the problem whether the child should suffer the legal consequences of its birth or be branded as a murderer's child. His answer came quickly; it was a curt refusal.

"I am in receipt of your letter," he wrote, "and am unable to accede to the request therein contained."

Miss Seymour said yesterday:

"I would marry him to-morrow, even if he were put to death afterward. He is the only man I ever loved."

Williams's solicitor says that one argument in favor of the marriage was that there was a possibility of some money coming to Williams, or in the event of his decease, to any heir or heiress. He asked:

"Isn't it better that a child should be known as the legitimate child of a murderer rather than illegitimate? In any case the name of the father will be known."

DENOUNCES ROOSEVELT PLAN

Congress Called On to Protest Against Publication of Mikado's Letter.

Special to The New York Times.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 30.—The report that ex-President Roosevelt was preparing a series of papers for magazine publication that would set forth the negotiations that paved the way for the Portsmouth Peace Conference caused comment here to-day. One chapter is said to deal with a letter which the ex-President received from the late Mikado, asking that he use his good offices to bring about the ending of the war.

Dr. C. A. L. Reed to-day sent the following telegram to the Chairmen of the House and Senate Foreign Relations Committees:

> The abysmal infamy of ex-President Roosevelt in proposing to betray the confidence of Japan and the honor of the United States by filching the letter of the late Mikado for purposes of literary speculation demands instant disclaimer from Congress, as the only means by which the American people can be set right before the eyes of the world.

Dr. Reed has for years been prominent in municipal and State affairs, and was a candidate for United States Senator a few years ago.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The few persons in official and diplomatic circles here who had long known of the letter President Roosevelt received from the late Emperor of Japan asking his good offices in the interests of peace with Russia, were much interested to-day in THE NEW YORK TIMES's publication of the fact that Col. Roosevelt is about to discuss the subject in a series of autobiographical papers. No one would comment on the propriety of publishing such a letter further than to suggest that the Colonel might feel that the death of the author removed the ban of secrecy.

At the Japanese Embassy no statement on the subject was forthcoming. Viscount Chinda, the recently appointed Ambassador, said that he was not aware of the existence of such a letter, and therefore he could express no views as to its publication. The attitude of Japan toward peace as the Russian-Japanese war neared its end, he said, was a matter of history.

PULL TEN MEN FROM SURF.

Jersey Life Savers Rescue Crew of Stranded Tug After Hard Fight.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 30.—The siren calls of a steamship sent the crews of the Tatham and Avalon Life Saving Stations hurrying to the beach four miles east of Hereford Inlet early to-day and there, through the heavy fog and rain, wind driven by half a gale, they made out the lines of an ocean-going tug, beached on the shoals many yards from shore. Over the tug giant breakers were crashing their tons of water, submerging even the pilot house and superstructure, and to the life savers it was apparent that no one aboard the tug could live more than a short time.

It appeared an impossibility to launch a boat, but the life savers were urged to efforts even greater than they had yet made when a wave washed far up on the beach the body of a man about whose waist there hung a bit of rope. It was evident that he had come from the tug and that he should have tried to swim ashore carrying a line was proof of the danger of those who remained aboard the tug.

The life savers made one more effort and this time both the power boat and the surf boat were launched between the rush of two big waves. The Tatham crew, power-driven, drew rapidly away from the Avalon men, and were within 25 feet of the tug when the craft capsized. The men, expert swimmers, reached the tug and were hauled aboard by the men they had come out to save, and then, from the tug's deck, they, too, watched the surf boat until it reached the tug.

Besides the Tatham crew the Avalon men found aboard the tug Capt. John E. Scott, Mate Paul Manigal, Engineer Richard Harris, Assistant Engineer James Farrell, Firemen S. H. Abrahams, and N. S. Lowman, Steward John P. Barber, William White, the mess boy, and Neil T. Jensen and Sherwood Kelly, deck hands. James Duncan, a fireman, was the man drowned in trying to swim ashore.

MISS GOULD'S WEDDING.

She Hazards a Guess That It Will Occur About Jan. 30.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 30.—Miss Helen Miller Gould and her affianced, Finley J. Shepard, left here to-day for New York City. During their stay here they have been accompanied by Mr. Shepard's sister, Mrs. Burton Wright of Worcester, Mass. Walking to the hotel to-day, Mr. Shepard carried several articles of baggage belonging to Mrs. Wright.

When they left for New York City to-day Mr. Shepard and Miss Gould occupied a seat in an ordinary passenger coach on the express train.

No engagement ring was visible on Miss Gould's hand. She parried questions relating to the date of her wedding, but ventured the "guess" that it would take place close to Jan. 30.

The Reputation of Deerfoot Farm Sausages has caused many imitations. Examine the wrapper and get the GENUINE—the finest pork sausage made. They contain all the best parts of the pig, flavored with choicest spices.—Adv.

THOUSANDS GO OUT IN GARMENT STRIKE

Union Leaders Say 75,000 Have Quit Work, but Others Think That Figure Is Excessive.

THREE OFFERS TO MEDIATE

Committee Named by Chamber of Commerce Spends Eight Hours in Considering the Situation.

When the whistles in the 4,000 shops in this city making men's and children's ready-to-wear garments were blown yesterday morning, thousands of work benches were vacant. The figures given out late last night at the offices of the United Garment Workers' Union of America indicated that some 75,000 workers, men and women, had responded to the first call for a general strike. While this figure was considered too high by many persons, it was admitted by all familiar with the situation that the garment industry faced the greatest strike in its history. Union officers said last night that before the end of the week 100,000 workers, exclusive of some 25,000 more in towns near New York would have quit work.

The seriousness of the situation was shown by the many offers of mediation which were made to both sides of the controversy. Before the end of the day three movements had been set on foot to terminate the strike. The first offer came from the State Department of Labor through John J. Bealin and Col. M. J. Reagan of the Board of Mediation and Arbitration. These men, acting under Section 141 of the State labor laws, approached both the garment workers and the manufacturers. William C. Rogers, Chief of the Bureau of Mediation and Arbitration, it was said last night, was on his way from Little Falls, N. Y., to conduct the negotiations and to report on factory and working conditions in the garment trade to John Williams, State Labor Commissioner. Should the employers and the strikers accept arbitration, an investigation of the tenement and sweatshop industry would be made by the State authorities, it was said.

Early in the day, the Chamber of Commerce joined the forces which were seeking to bring about an early settlement of the strike. This was the first time, it was said, that the Chamber of Commerce, acting through its Arbitration Committee, had intervened in a clothing strike, and was taken as an indication of the anxiety with which the business men of the city viewed the situation.

A meeting in the Chamber of Commerce was called by Marcus A. Marks, Chairman of the Conciliation Committee of the Civic Federation, and it was in session for eight hours, beginning at noon. Among those present were Eugene Benjamin, representing the Clothiers' Association; Bernard A. Larger, general organizer of the Federation of Labor, representing the strikers; Ephraim Kaufmann, agent of the Clothing Cutters' Union, and Charles L. Bernheimer, Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Arbitration Committee. No one would say what had transpired at the meeting.

Chamber of Commerce Intervenes.

Another offer to mediate came from the International Peace Forum, represented by its Secretary, the Rev. Dr. William Carter, until recently pastor of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church. Dr. Carter said that his association considered maintaining industrial peace part of its mission.

Last night Dr. Carter visited Tammany Hall, where a mass meeting of strikers had been called. He introduced himself to Benjamin Schweitzer, one of the organizers of the strike, and asked for an opportunity to speak to the 4,000 tailors, cutters, and pressers in behalf of intervention by the International Peace Forum. His request was refused.

"Mr. Schweitzer told me," he told reporters, "that it was too early to begin talking about mediation."

A member of the Executive Council of the United Garment Workers said unofficially that the garment workers were not averse to intercession on the part of the State Labor Department, provided a more speedy settlement could be assured than was effected in the case of the railroad engineers some months ago.

The Tammany Hall meeting, which was the largest of thirty-four held in the course of the day, was largely attended. There were speeches in Yiddish, Italian, and English. The speaker who made the greatest impression was William Karlin, who ran for the Assembly on the Socialist ticket in the last campaign. Mr. Karlin stirred his hearers with a recital of the conditions which he said he had found in the garment industry.

"There will be 125,000 on strike in the metropolitan district before Jan. 1," Mr. Karlin asserted in his address.

Woman Leads Volunteers.

The strikers gathered early yesterday in Clinton Hall at 155 Clinton Street. A call had been issued the night before for 2,000 men to attend a meeting at 5 o'clock yesterday morning, at which pickets would be selected to keep workers from entering the shops. When J. H. Lavner, Secretary of the District Council of the union, arrived at the headquarters he found between 800 and 1,000 men present and more than that number of women. The strikers cheered them heartily.

"The first thing we want is an army of pickets," said Mr. Lavner, after he had ascended the stage in the auditorium. "Are there any volunteers?"

There was silence for a minute or two and then Miss Annie Bargam, who said she lived at 254 Henry Street, came forward. She said she wanted to be a picket.

"Shame on you men," Lavner cried, as he shook Miss Bargam's hand. "That's the kind of spirit we need to win this strike. Only a fourth of our ranks are made up of women, and yet it takes a woman to show you men the way."

Within another minute there was not an able-bodied man or woman in the hall who had not volunteered. The pickets were divided into squads, and they were told to stand in front of all shops where the garment workers had not quit work. Before departing from the hall they were warned not to resort to violence of any kind.

Among the labor leaders at the meeting were Benjamin Larger, General Secretary of the Garment Workers of America, and Benjamin Schweitzer, chief of the organizing staff. Each leader admonished the strikers to avoid violence, to stand by the principles of the union, and to await results calmly.

Max Pine, regarded by many of the strikers as the ablest of their leaders, said after the meeting that he was confident of the successful outcome of the fight against the clothing manufacturers. Mr. Pine is a member of the committee of five which will be directly in charge of the strike.

"Those who say we are not strong, are misinformed," said Mr. Pine. "I can show you by my books that 30,000 workers joined our organization in the last two weeks. We cannot tell how many walked out this morning, until all the leaders hand in their reports. I am sure that 50,000 quit work to-day. Fully 100,000 will have joined the strike before to-morrow morning."

Mr. Pine said that the union would probably organize an exhibit showing the conditions against which the strikers

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ANTEDILUVIAN WHISKEY.

The reason we tell you about Antediluvian is because it is worth it. [illegible]—Adv.

HORRORS OF WAR WITHOUT AMBULANCES

Frederick Palmer, special correspondent of The New York Times at the Balkan War, writes of bringing in the wounded in springless ox-carts and other tragic features of the aftermath of battle. In

NEXT SUNDAY'S TIMES

PUJO'S MEN BESIEGE WM. ROCKEFELLER

Burns Detectives Join Federal Agents and Surround Town and Country Houses.

REINFORCEMENTS ORDERED

Physician Will Not Say Where His Patient Is, but Agrees to Carry a Message to Him.

William Rockefeller's home at 689 Fifth Avenue, and his Rockwood Hall residence at Tarrytown, were picketed by Federal officers and private detectives last night, waiting for an opportunity to serve a subpoena on him to appear as a witness before the Pujo Committee in Washington. These measures were taken after instructions had been received from the committee ordering every available means to be used in the effort to reach the former official of the Standard Oil Company and compel his attendance.

Late last night Charles F. Riddell, Sergeant at Arms of the House, now here, was notified that one of his deputies, F. J. S. South, had been ordered to leave Washington with a force of Federal officers to join him here and continue the effort to reach Mr. Rockefeller. Riddell in the mean time, having only one deputy here with him, Richard White, called in Superintendent Dixon of the Burns Detective Agency, to give him sufficient men to guard the Rockefeller homes until reinforcements arrive from Washington. Riddell sent his deputy to Tarrytown and remained here to direct the guard of private detectives around the Rockefeller home on Fifth Avenue.

Before doing this, Riddell made a final effort to reach Mr. Rockefeller last night. First he went to his personal physician, Dr. Walter F. Chappell, 7 East Fifty-fifth Street, and asked about the condition of the patient. He was again told that Mr. Rockefeller was a very ill man, suffering, he said, with throat trouble, which prevented him from speaking above a whisper, and which, under any unusual excitement, would result in laryngeal spasms.

At Fifth Avenue Home.

From the physician the Sergeant at Arms was unable to learn the exact whereabouts of Mr. Rockefeller, though it was intimated that he was out of town. Dr. Chappell promised to see his patient and make the proposition to him regarding service and to give the official his reply to-day.

From the physician's Riddell went to the northeast corner of Fifth Avenue and Fifty-fourth Street and rang the Rockefeller bell. There was no response. After waiting there for some time Riddell then sought the side door, on East Fifty-fourth Street, leading to the basement. There he was met by three women, whom he supposed were maids and the housekeeper.

"I want to see Mr. Rockefeller on important business," Riddell told the woman he supposed was the housekeeper.

"I don't know where Mr. Rockefeller is," she replied. Riddell insisted that he believed the man he wanted was in the house, and persisted in trying to enter, but his progress was barred, and not wishing to use force or make a disturbance he was forced to retire.

On the third floor of the Rockefeller home the lights were burning brilliantly in front and rear. Pointing to these, the Sergeant at Arms declared that he believed Mr. Rockefeller was in one of the rooms on that floor. Riddell added:

"We have shown every consideration to Mr. Rockefeller, and have particularly tried to make this matter as pleasant as possible, but we have been repulsed at every move we have made to get near him, and we are now going to use extreme steps to serve him with a summons. We'll keep him a prisoner in the house, whether he is here or at Tarrytown, until he sees fit to come forth and surrender by accepting service."

Around the corner from the Rockefeller home, at 3 East Fifty-fourth Street, and adjoining his home, is the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Emma Rockefeller McAlpin, and her husband, Dr. D. Hunter McAlpin, and next door on the Fifth Avenue side, at 691, lives his other daughter, Mrs. Marcellus Hartley Dodge. There is a passageway from the third floor of the Rockefeller residence to the McAlpin home, and the guards kept a watch of the two adjoining houses, in case he should show himself in either place.

It also leaked out yesterday that the Federal officers would like to find the secretary of Mr. Rockefeller, J. P. McIntosh, who, it is believed, may be able to give the investigating committee some information. But the whereabouts of the secretary is as much of a mystery as is that of his employer. At several addresses visited the process servers were told that he had moved, and the last heard from him was to the effect that he had gone to Los Angeles, Cal.

Percy Rockefeller, who had been approached through a friend with the suggestion that he try to have his father accept service, has also refused to see the Federal officers. He said that if a promise was given that he would not be served with a subpoena he would meet them, but Riddell sent back word that he had no authority to promise.

Special to The New York Times.

TARRYTOWN, Dec. 30.—It is believed here that William Rockefeller is at Rockwood Hall, and as long as he is contented to remain there he is safe, for no process server can reach him. Mr. Rockefeller's estate is guarded night and day. Frederick H. Hackett, former police chief, is in charge, and no one gets into the estate unless he is known. Process servers could not enter the grounds without a signal to the house. Mr. Rockefeller feels that he can remain here as long as he chooses, and the prospects are that he will wait out the committee.

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NOT A REVOLUTIONIST NOR ILL, SAYS CASTRO

Venezuelan ex-President Tells The Times His Coming Proves That He Is Neither.

DUE TO-DAY—WILL BE HELD

And Detained at Ellis Island Till His Right to Land Is Decided—Thinks Our Attitude an Insult.

Castro Defends Himself.

By Wireless to The New York Times.

S. S. La Touraine, via Siasconsett, Mass., Dec. 30.

The New York Times, New York:

Al venir pruebo que no voy revolucionario ni enfermo. Estas palabras excluyense mutuamente. La verdad no se puede adulterar. Insultarme por el hecho de visitarles es inconcebible.

CASTRO.

[Translation.]

My coming proves that I am neither a revolutionist nor a sick man. Each of these terms excludes the other. Truth cannot be distorted. That you should insult me simply because I visit you is inconceivable. CASTRO.

Cipriano Castro, ex-President of Venezuela, who is now nearing this port on the French liner Touraine, sent the message printed above in answer to a wireless dispatch from THE TIMES, informing him of the probability that he would be deported and asking him what his purpose was in visiting America.

The Touraine is due at Quarantine this morning at 8 o'clock. Castro will be met by special immigration officials from Ellis Island, sent by Commissioner William Williams, who will inform him that he cannot land in the United States without undergoing an examination to ascertain whether he is a fit and proper person to be admitted. He appears on the passenger list of the Touraine as L. Ruiz, according to the cable dispatches from Paris, sent after his departure.

After the liner has been made fast at her pier, Castro will be taken to Ellis Island on a special steamboat, accompanied by the immigration officials, and will be lodged in the rooms in the tower of the restaurant building, which are very comfortable, and were recently occupied by Prince Pignatelli. The apartment consists of a sitting room, bedroom, and bath, and the ex-President will be able to order his meals from the restaurant, and receive his friends.

The order to detain Castro on his arrival here was received by Commissioner Williams on Saturday from Secretary Nagel of the Department of Commerce and Labor, who sent it at the request of the State Department. The order instructs Commissioner Williams to cause Castro to be examined as to his right to enter the United States under the immigration laws. It also states that Castro must not be admitted to this country without reference to Washington. This will hold the ex-President at Ellis Island until the State Department can obtain the documentary evidence of the charges, for which it has sent to the United States Legation at Caracas.

According to arrangements made yesterday Castro will go before the Special Board of Inquiry at Ellis Island at 1 o'clock to-day, provided that the Touraine arrives on time this morning. At this examination it is understood that the board will deal with his physical condition, and the doctors of the Immigration Service will be called upon to give their opinion as to his fitness to enter this country.

Another reason for his exclusion to be given by the authorities is that Castro was once charged with murder and with being implicated in a political assassination plot. The third objection to him is that as the United States is a neutral power it will cause complications with Venezuela if the ex-President is allowed to land here and equip an expedition with the object of causing a revolution in Venezuela, thus disturbing the peace and commerce of that country and jeopardizing the interests of foreign nations and of American citizens there.

Castro will be allowed to make an appeal for a rehearing if the decision is against him, on the ground that he has evidence to produce and wishes to hire counsel to act on his behalf. This will give him a week's respite, and if the decision to deport him is confirmed Castro can make a final appeal to Secretary Nagel of the Department of Commerce and Labor at Washington.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The news that Cipriano Castro, "ex-despot of Venezuela," as a high official of the State Department characterized him, will defend himself as being neither a revolutionist nor a sick man, causes no surprise in official circles here. An official of the State Department said it was expected that within the next few months not only Castro, but several other discredited South American dictators, among them Zelaya, the exiled ex-President of Nicaragua, would make their way to the United States, in the hope that with the incoming of a new Administration they might find means to organize revolutions to restore them to power.

The State Department has furnished to the Department of Commerce and Labor a voluminous documentary record, consisting of a large number of papers from Venezuela, and Secretary Nagel has taken the whole matter directly under his charge. He would not discuss the case, but it is known that he has expressed himself as determined to carry out to the letter the request of the State Department for the exclusion of Castro if the grounds are legal and sufficient.

No effort will be made to refuse admission to Castro on the ground that he is a revolutionist or a political refugee. Nor will any steps be taken looking to the extradition of the former President of Venezuela as a criminal. In fact, there could be no such extradition, as there is no treaty with Venezuela under which such proceedings could be brought. He will be excluded, if exclusion is ordered, strictly under the immigration laws.

A prominent official of the Department of Commerce and Labor said to-night that there was strong reason to expect that a medical examination would suffice to give ground for his exclusion. If the examination showed the slightest suspicion of the malady which it is said Castro has, and because of which he can be excluded under the immigration laws, he could be detained on probation, if necessary, for months, until such physical malady could be thoroughly established. This is all there is in the case as it is now considered by the Government in Washington.

GREAT BEAR SPRING WATER.

[illegible] glass-stoppered bottles.—Adv.

60,000 PERSONS HELD UP.

Worst Bridge Jam in Months Caused by Two-Car Derailment.

More than 60,000 people going to Brooklyn last night were delayed during the rush hour by the derailing of a Bay Ridge train at the Brooklyn end of the Bridge. The accident occurred at 5:35 o'clock when traffic was heaviest at the Manhattan terminus, and made one of the worst tieups in many months. It was an hour and a half before the service was running to schedule again.

As the train took the curve opposite Concord St., on the concrete structure leading to the bridge, the trucks of the second car were pulled from the rails because a draw bar remained rigid. The rear trucks of the first car also were derailed. Passengers walked to the Sand Street station and came to Manhattan on surface cars. Trains from Sea Beach, Culver, Myrtle Avenue, Lexington Avenue, Fifth Avenue, and the Coney Island lines run over the tracks, and these soon made a block, but the effects of the tieup were felt more at the Manhattan end of the Bridge, where a throng waited for trains that didn't come.

RESCUER DIES WITH FRIEND.

Section Men Run Down, One Struggling to Free the Other.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW ROCHELLE, Dec. 30.—Frank Pape, an Italian section hand, lost his life this morning in an effort to save his friend, Antonio Reo, whose foot was caught under a rail of the New Haven tracks near the New Jerusalem Bridge at New Rochelle. The two men were working with a gang repairing the roadbed, when a fast freight train bore down on them. All got out of the way except Reo, whose foot in some manner became wedged under the rail at which he was working.

Pape, who was Reo's closest friend, dashed back and, in the face of certain death, tried to wrench Reo's foot free. When the engine was twenty feet away Reo tried to push his friend away, but Pape came back to make one last effort. The engine passed over both men, killing Reo instantly. Pape died a few minutes after reaching the New Haven Hospital.

HER $15,000 MUFF MISSING.

Mrs. Shainwald of New York Gives Notice to Scotland Yard.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Ralph L. Shainwald of New York, who is staying at the Ritz Hotel, has notified Scotland Yard that her brown sable muff, valued at $15,000, is missing. She is uncertain whether it was lost or stolen.

THREATENED KING GEORGE.

Man Arrested for Sending Him a Letter Demanding Money.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—A well dressed young man named Collins was charged in the police court at Horsham, Sussex, to-day by the Director of Public Prosecutions with having sent a letter on Dec. 15 to the King, "demanding with menaces and without reasonable and proper cause certain moneys."

The prisoner was arrested by a policeman who saw him post the letter, which was addressed to "King George V., Buckingham Palace, London." Collins, who talked in an irresponsible manner, was remanded.

The contents of the letter were not divulged.

HOCKEY STICKS SAVE FOUR.

Means of Drawing Out Boy and Girls Who Break Through Ice.

BABYLON, L. I., Dec. 30.—Hockey sticks played a part yesterday in the rescue from drowning of two boys and two girls who ventured on the ice in a pond on the estate of Col. Alfred Wagstaff of West Islip. The four who were in peril were Alice Davies, 16 years old, and Rosa Davies, 14, daughters of Julien T. Davies, Jr., a lawyer, with offices at 34 Nassau Street, Manhattan; their brother Julien, 18 years old, and a friend, Joseph Lenthilon of Babylon, 16.

They were sliding on the ice when Alice and Joseph broke through. Rosa and Julien tried to rescue them, and they too went into the water. Their cries for help were heard by Allen Barnard, a nephew of Col. Wagstaff, and Charles Mullen, who crawled out upon the ice as far as it would bear their weight and then extended hockey sticks to the four in the water, all of whom were drawn safely ashore.

KILLED IN STEVENSON HOME.

Girl Shot Accidentally by Former Vice President's Grandson.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Dec. 30.—Adlai Stevenson, grandson of former Vice President Stevenson, accidentally shot and killed Miss Ruth Merwin in the Stevenson home here to-night.

Miss Merwin was 16 years old.

Young Stevenson was overcome with grief when he learned the accident had resulted fatally.

Boys at a party in the home of young Stevenson's father, L. G. Stevenson, were students at a military academy, and in the evening they decided to give part of their drill. They found an old repeating rifle and, they thought, took out all the cartridges. In the drill the weapon, when in the hands of young Stevenson, was discharged. The bullet struck Miss Merwin in the forehead and caused instant death.

MUM ON NEW YEAR'S WEATHER

Official Prophet Only Willing to Say It May Be Colder.

The Weather Bureau yesterday refused to predict what kind of weather New York would have on New Year's. During yesterday's storm three-quarters of an inch of rain fell. Fair weather is due to-day. For to-morrow, however, the official prediction is withheld.

Those who see the dawn to-morrow, however, are likely to find it colder than it has been for the past few years. Yesterday the average temperature was 44 degrees, which is 12 degrees above the temperature of a year ago and the same number of degrees above normal. It will be colder to-day, and by New Year's it may drop to 20 above zero.

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33 DYNAMITERS GET PRISON TERMS

Sentences Range from Seven Years for Ryan to One Year and One Day.

SIX SUSPENDED SENTENCES

Judge Anderson Extends Clemency to Men Who Were Unskillfully Defended.

SOME "GUILTY OF MURDER"

But Federal Court Cannot Punish for It—Convicted Men Will Appeal.

Special to The New York Times.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 30.—Judge Anderson's efforts to give the convicted men every possible chance under the law, and his attitude of mercy in the passing of sentences, made one of the most notable features of the final session in the case of the dynamite conspirators to-day, when thirty-three were sentenced to terms in the Federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., and six received suspension of sentence.

In some cases he seemed to be giving the men a defense that their own attorneys had not accorded them. At one time he stated that only direct evidence should be considered, as he himself had heard that one of the defendants last March had said that the jails would not hold the men if every ironworker who had knowledge of the conspiracy were to be indicted.

The tense and almost tragic aspect of the court proceedings, which were punctuated at intervals by the sobs of women and children, were relieved by the Judge's exhibition of clemency and by his grim epigram that "government by injunction is infinitely to be preferred to government by dynamite."

As the head of the union whose strike was given as the motive for promoting the dynamite plots, Frank M. Ryan was sentenced to seven years' imprisonment, the heaviest sentence of all. He is the President of the Ironworkers' International Union.

Of the thirty-eight men convicted as conspiring to carry out the McNamara dynamiting schemes, eight other men, all affiliated with Ryan, each received prison terms of six years.

Two men received four years, twelve men three years, four men two years, six men one year and one day, and six men, including Edward Clark, Cincinnati, a dynamiter who pleaded guilty, were released on suspended sentences.

By the liberation of Hiram R. Kline, a former official of the carpenters' union, Olaf A. Tveitmoe of San Francisco remained as the only labor union official among the prisoners not related with the ironworkers' union. But it was Tveitmoe who was charged by the Government with having conspired with President Ryan and McNamara for the destruction of life and property on the Pacific Coast. It was Tveitmoe who was again and again referred to by the Government before the jury as a "murderer who ought to be in San Quentin prison along with the McNamaras."

Injunctions Better than Dynamite.

From the bench, Judge Albert B. Anderson read in connection with sentencing the men, a statement in which he said:

"The evidence in this case will convince any impartial person that Government by injunction is infinitely to be preferred to Government by dynamite."

After reviewing the history of the dynamite conspiracy, as well as the evidence introduced, the Judge said:

"This scheme or campaign of dynamite was entered into and carried on throughout the country from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The evidence discloses an appalling list of crimes in addition to those charged in the indictments. These crimes were all committed in the name of organized labor. I will not believe that organized labor approved such practices. Any organization that approves and adopts the methods of these defendants is an outlaw, and will meet the fate which outlaws have met since civilized society began.

"The evidence shows some of these defendants to be guilty of murder, but they are not charged here with that crime; this court cannot punish them for it, nor should it be influenced by such consideration in fixing the measure of punishment for the crimes charged.

"The certainty of punishment, not its severity, is the important consideration in the administration of criminal justice. Such punishment should be meted out as shall warn others that, even if they desire to accomplish lawful ends, they must not violate the law in the attempt to realize them. Keeping these considerations in view, the court must repress that indignation which every law-abiding citizen naturally feels at the crimes which the evidence in this case discloses in addition to these for which the defendants have been found guilty, and, as near as may be possible, confine the punishment within its proper scope."

Referring to the ironworkers' strike, which began in 1905 and which the Government charged was the motive which prompted John J. McNamara to use dynamite as a weapon, Judge Anderson said the strike was attended by picketing, then by "sluggings" and riots. He added:

"But in 1906 a campaign by dynamite was inaugurated, and, beginning with explosions in the East and extending from the Atlantic to the Pacific, continued until the arrest of the McNamaras and McManigal in April, 1911.

"The evidence in this case shows that almost 100 explosions, damaging and destroying structures in process of erection by and machinery of open shop concerns, took place, culminating on Oct. 1, 1910, in the destruction of the Los Angeles Times Building and the murder of twenty-one people. Every one of these explosions was upon the work of open shop concerns, and no explosion is shown to have taken place upon any closed shop job. Since the arrest of the McNamaras and McManigal the explosions have ceased.

A "Veritable Reign of Terror."

"This system of destruction was not carried on for revenge or obedience to any other human passion, but for the deliberate purpose, by a veritable reign of terror, to enforce compliance with the demands of the ironworkers upon the open and closed shop question."

Steps toward appeals in behalf of all the prisoners to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals have already been taken. Chester H. Krum, with other counsel, appeared before Judge Anderson late to-day to arrange for the filing of writs of error.

Less than twenty minutes was required by the court in the work of actually imposing sentences, although for an hour and a half before taking that action Judge Anderson, leaning over his desk, [illegible] each prisoner to step up and talk with him as to his degree of guilt.

The scene was unusual. The prisoners had been arranged three rows deep, seated in the alphabetical order of their names. In front sat a dozen attorneys for the defense, whose motions for setting aside the verdicts and for arrests of judgments all were overruled. Behind in the rear, shut off by a railing, were the relatives of the prisoners. There were several hundred people in the room, but one voice only was heard at a time. That was the Judge's voice or that of a prisoner who had stepped forward to plead for mercy.

Judge Anderson said his reason for wishing to speak with some of the men was that he believed some evidence might have been brought out in the trial which was omitted in the attorney's pleas.

"If there is any one of you who has anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced, he may step forward," said the court. For a moment no one spoke or moved. Again the invitation was repeated. Finally six men arose and stepped forward, one by one. The six men were Patrick F. Farrell, James Cooney, James Coughlin, William C. Bernhardt, Frank J. Murphy, and Hiram Kline.

Of these six all but Bernhardt gained liberty through suspended sentences.

Judge Aids Prisoners' Defense.

Patrick F. Farrell was the first to avail himself of the Judge's invitation to speak.

"Your Honor," said Farrell, "I have something to say in my behalf."

"Something might have been said in your behalf that was not said," interrupted the court. "Is it a fact that you were not in sympathy with the dynamiting campaign?"

"That is a fact, your Honor," responded Farrell. "In 1907 I voted against a resolution to continue the strike of the Ironworkers. I never have been in sympathy with dynamiting."

"Farrell's action in trying to keep certain officials in the Ironworkers' Union might be construed two ways," said District Attorney Miller.

"Then we will take the innocent way," said Judge Anderson. "I have been on the bench ten years and have never sentenced a man I believed innocent."

"This man Farrell is one of the least guilty of them all, and if he had had proper legal advice he might have been found not guilty," said Mr. Miller.

Farrell was then told to resume his seat.

James Cooney of Chicago next appeared before the court.

Cooney was asked whether he had written any letters about dynamite plots. He said he never had, and Mr. Miller said no letters of Cooney's had been introduced, because none of importance was found.

"Why should Ortie E. McManigal testify falsely against you?" asked the court.

"I don't know why he should," answered Cooney.

"Do you believe that organized labor has the right to resort to violence in its strikes?" asked the court.

"I do not," said Cooney.

Asked whether there was any evidence against Cooney other than McManigal's testimony, Mr. Miller said three witnesses corroborated McManigal's testimony.

McManigal's testimony was that as a hired dynamiter he met Cooney in a saloon in Chicago with President Ryan of the Ironworkers' Union, and that they all referred to dynamiting non-union jobs.

James Coughlin, a former Ironworkers' Business Agent in Chicago, was next called.

Coughlin was asked about his connection with the union. The District Attorney interrupted, saying the evidence was enough to justify the verdict.

"Do you think the dynamiting campaign carried on for six years was right?" asked Judge Anderson.

"No, Sir, your Honor, I do not," said Coughlin.

Coughlin told the court he was married and had two children. He said he never had been arrested before.

Just as Frank J. Murphy of Detroit was called, Judge Anderson announced his purpose in questioning the man.

"I am doing so because I don't believe you have had the defense you ought to have had," said the Judge. "That's why I am questioning you. You don't have to answer any questions if you feel the answers will prejudice your case."

Murphy was asked whether he had not been arrested in July, 1911, after the McNamaras were arrested. The prisoner replied that he had been acquitted.

"Do you believe a man ought to be sentenced if he is found guilty?"

"Yes, I do."

District Attorney Miller said: "I believe Murphy is guilty, but not so guilty as some of the others."

Sharp Reproof for Bernhardt.

When William C. Bernhardt of Cincinnati was called, Judge Anderson said:

"Bernhardt, I feel sorry for you, but it is too late to explain now. The letters you wrote were bad."

"I hope God may strike me dead—" Bernhardt attempted to continue.

"Now, don't talk that way," said the court. "You know you are guilty. Sit down."

Bernhardt's sentence, imposed a little later, was one year and one day.

"Do you think dynamiting is right?" was asked of each prisoner who pleaded. The answer invariably was, "No, your Honor." Each prisoner disclaimed any knowledge of the dynamite plots.

At this point the crying of a child delayed the proceedings. Just before passing sentence Judge Anderson announced that he wished to read a statement. Before he had proceeded far the child in the corridor began to cry, and the Judge paused long enough to order that the door be kept closed. It was four-year-old Georgie Bernhardt, son of the Cincinnati prisoner, who had been playing in the corridor with Christmas toys. In consequence of his crying about one-third of the prisoners had been sentenced before the doors were opened to allow people to go out.

The courtroom was more crowded than at most times during the trial. Among many women present was Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, widow of the former President.

The sentences were read by the court from a slip of paper, the names and the terms of imprisonment being called off rapidly. A few minutes later the courtroom was cleared of all except the prisoners, who, with their families, were permitted to remain in the Federal Building until late in the afternoon.

Prisoners Sing on Way to Jail.

At 3:15 o'clock the prisoners, shackled to Deputy Marshals, with Marshal Schmidt and Superintendent of Police Martin J. Hyland in the lead, stepped out of the Federal Building, and on their march to the Marion County Jail began to sing "On the Banks of the Shannon." The singing continued, with crying women and children following the procession almost until the jail was reached. Every effort by the officials to stop the demonstration caused louder singing.

As the line reached the prisoners' entrance to the jail the Deputies stepped aside, the handcuffs were removed, and the prisoners were checked by Marshal Schmidt. The prisoners marched in alphabetical order, Anderson of Cleveland leading, and Young of Boston bringing up the rear.

Not one of the six men whose sentences were suspended by Judge Anderson accompanied the melancholy procession from the scene of the trial to the jail.

The wives and friends of the convicted men had taken leave of them a half hour before Marshal Schmidt ordered the prisoners to get ready for the trip to the jail.

At the entrance of the jail yard five policemen held back the crowd. The Deputies and prisoners marched through the yard to the entrance, while hundreds of spectators craned their necks and jostled each other to see how the prisoners bore up under the strain. As Anderson, the first man in the line, passed a moving-picture photographer he smiled, and said to his guard: "He's on the job." Some of the men puffed nervously on cigars, others were still chewing the toothpicks they used after luncheon in the Federal Building.

Nine minutes after Anderson left the Federal Building the entire procession had reached the entrance of the jail. A few minutes later the handcuffs had been removed from the last prisoner, and the jail door had clashed shut behind them.

The prisoners had been separated from their relatives at the Federal Building. The wife and two daughters of Edward F. Phillips of Syracuse, N. Y., were the first to leave the room. They were crying as the door closed.

George Bernhardt, the four-year-old son of the prisoner, brought a smile to the faces of many when he left the corridor with a nervy "good-bye" that elicited a cheery response from the most downcast of the prisoners. The boy won the friendship of the defendants and their families by the cheerful front he maintained throughout the trial. When his father was sentenced he was playing in one of the corridors and making it resound with childish shouts of glee. The prisoners, at the request of "Ed" Smythe of Peoria, Ill., sang "Oh, Where Is My Wandering Boy To-night?" shortly after the room where they were confined had been cleared of relatives. A few minutes before the defendants left the room the song was repeated.

Hiram Kline, who was released on suspended sentence, mingled with the friends and families of the convicted men in the corridors. He was crying as he bade his former associates farewell.

Good-Byes Said to Relatives.

The convicted men left final disposition of their effects and arranged their business affairs with their relatives and friends. As soon as the relatives had said their farewells they hurried from the building and many departed for their homes.

Murphy of Detroit, one of the defendants who was released under suspended sentence, said: "Not because he let me go without punishment, but because I think it is due to him, I want to say that a fairer Judge never lived than Judge Anderson. I am absolutely innocent. What I say about Judge Anderson I say in view of what I have observed all through this trial. I wish all of the Judges in this country, from the Judges of the Supreme Court, from the Federal Judges and State Judges on down to the Judges of Police Court, were like Judge Anderson."

Any minimum, which meant liberty through suspended sentence, to a maximum of thirty-nine and one-half years were the limitations of the amount of punishment within which the court had discretion.

Clark's suspension of punishment after he had pleaded guilty throws an interesting light upon Ortie E. McManigal, another confessed dynamiter.

Several days after the trial began, and after the District Attorney had produced before the jury an ivory-handled umbrella upon which were inscribed the initials "E. C.," Clark pleaded guilty. He said he had left the umbrella at the spot where he blew up a bridge at Dayton, Ohio. He said that Hockin had furnished him with the dynamite and that President Ryan had pointed out jobs in Cincinnati to be blown up.

McManigal Waits His Fate.

McManigal had already pleaded guilty to the charges here, but he was brought here as a prisoner from Los Angeles County, where he had also pleaded guilty. He is to be returned to Los Angeles in connection with further investigations out there.

The fact that Clark received a suspended sentence was regarded as significant in possibly presaging leniency toward McManigal. McManigal, however, confessed to having caused twenty-one explosions, scattered from Boston to Los Angeles.

Seven of the eight men who received six-year sentences—Munsey being the exception—Barry, who received four years, and Beum and Legleitner, who each received three years, were present or former members of the Ironworkers' Executive Board. As such they were accused of appropriating out of the union's funds $1,000 a month for Secretary McNamara to carry on the dynamiting campaign.

The testimony was that part of that money was used in sending James B. McNamara to the Pacific Coast to blow up The Los Angeles Times building, that the money was paid to McNamara in checks signed by President Ryan and marked "by order of the Executive Board," and that Leo M. Rappaport, an attorney for McNamara, after visiting the dynamiter at San Quentin Prison, came back to Indianapolis, and at McNamara's direction destroyed a small blue check book in which the record of the dynamiting expenses was kept.

All the men who received suspended sentences were among those who testified in their own behalf.

Ryan testified in his own behalf, but Tveitmoe, Clancy, Webb, Hockin, Munsey, Young, and Cooley did not. The court instructed the jury that the fact that these men did not take the stand was not to be considered against them.

In imposing sentences of one year and one day on six men, Judge Anderson at first said he would give them one year each, but instantly added another day. Under the regulations Federal prisoners who receive one year or less may be confined in county jails.

Basis of Defendants' Appeals.

The basis upon which appeals are to be made to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals was outlined to-day by Attorney Chester H. Krum.

"Broadly speaking," said Mr. Krum, "we shall contend that there is no such thing as a conspiracy to transport explosives on passenger trains. The Federal laws declare it to be an offense to carry explosives on such trains. This is done for the sole purpose of preventing injury to passengers. The Federal law cannot and does not consider any motive. A man may innocently carry an explosive for use in a stone quarry. He may have only a sample explosive the size of a thumbnail, but he would be as guilty for carrying that as he would if he carried a suitcase filled with dynamite to blow up a building. The only crime that could be charged in either case would be that the law had been violated.

"To link the separate offenses together by calling them a conspiracy and to say that because McManigal carried explosives all the men are guilty has been the basis of the Government's prosecution, but it will not be sustained in the higher courts.

"Our contention is that the crimes of blowing up non-union work do not form a conspiracy cognizable by the Federal Government, and that each crime of illegal transportation is a separate offense, unrelated and not part of a conspiracy."

Mr. Krum said there was no prospect of procuring liberty for any of the men through supersedeas bonds. All the prisoners are to go to Leavenworth.

The time of the departure of the special train, which will carry them there, United States Marshal Edward Schmidt refused to give, in pursuance of his orders to keep absolutely secrecy. It was understood that no efforts were to be made to take the train out before to-morrow.

THE DYNAMITE SENTENCES.

Following are the sentences imposed by Judge Albert B. Anderson upon the thirty-eight men found guilty in the dynamite conspiracy trial:

Seven Years.

FRANK M. RYAN of Chicago, President of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers.

Six Years.

OLAF A. TVEITMOE of San Francisco, Secretary of the California Building Trades Council.

HERBERT S. HOCKIN, former Secretary of the Ironworkers' Union and formerly of Detroit.

JOHN T. BUTLER of Buffalo, Vice President of the union.

EUGENE A. CLANCY of San Francisco.

J. E. MUNSEY of Salt Lake City.

PHILIP A. COOLEY of New Orleans.

FRANK C. WEBB of New York.

MICHAEL J. YOUNG of Boston.

Four Years.

JOHN H. BARRY of St. Louis.

PETER J. SMITH of Cleveland.

Three Years.

CHARLES N. BEUM of Minneapolis.

HENRY W. LEGLEITNER of Denver.

ERNEST G. BASEY of Indianapolis.

EDWARD SMYTHE of Peoria, Ill.

WILLIAM E. REDDIN of Milwaukee.

MURRAY L. PENNELL of Springfield, Ill.

PAUL J. MORRIN of St. Louis.

WILLIAM J. McCAIN of Kansas City.

MICHAEL J. HANNON of Scranton, Penn.

GEORGE (NIPPER) ANDERSON of Cleveland.

WILFORD BERT BROWN of Kansas City.

MICHAEL J. CUNNANE of Philadelphia.

Two Years.

FRANK J. HIGGINS of Boston.

WILLIAM K. PAINTER of Omaha.

FRED SHERMAN of Indianapolis.

RICHARD H. HOULIHAN of Chicago.

One Year and One Day.

WILLIAM C. BERNHARDT of Cincinnati.

CHARLES WACHTMEISTER of Detroit.

WILLIAM SHUPE of Chicago.

JAMES E. RAY of Peoria, Ill.

EDWARD E. PHILLIPS of Syracuse, N. Y.

FRED MOONEY of Duluth, Minn.

Suspended Sentences.

PATRICK F. FARRELL of New York.

JAMES COONEY of Chicago.

JAMES COUGHLIN of Chicago.

HIRAM R. KLINE of Muncie, Ind., former organizer for the Carpenters' Union in Detroit.

FRANK J. MURPHY of Detroit.

EDWARD CLARK of Cincinnati, confessed dynamiter, who testified for the Government.

OTIS SEES GOMPERS'S FALL.

Believes Law-Abiding Labor Will Desert His "Flag of Intimidation.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 30.—Gen. Harrison Gray Otis, editor and publisher of The Times, the building which was destroyed by dynamite by the McNamaras, to-day said of the Indianapolis sentences:

"This is a great blow for industrial freedom. The sentences were well merited—I think rather light. But the moral victory is great. Thousands of honest and right-meaning members of labor unions should see in the Indianapolis verdict a signal for withdrawal from the Gompers organization.

"Sam Gompers is trembling. He hardly dares speak. He must see what is coming. We do not expect open insurrection in the American Federation of Labor at present, but how can it help crumbling? What organization of human beings is capable of withstanding such a tremendous pressure? It must come to pass that the clean and God-fearing elements in labor unionism do the only thing that decent men can do—desert the standard of nitroglycerine and slaughter.

"A great chapter of the history beginning at Los Angeles has just been written at Indianapolis. Another will be the chronicle of the march of honest and law-abiding union labor by regiments and brigades away from the Gompers flag of intimidation, destruction, violence and sudden death.

"The propensity of men to organize is not to be opposed or gainsaid, but organized outlawry cannot persist in America."

KIRBY DRAWS A MORAL.

Says Congress Should Now Kill Anti-Injunction and Contempt Bills.

John Kirby, Jr., President of the National Association of Manufacturers, who was active in the gathering of evidence which led to the conviction of the McNamaras, and has previously characterized the American Federation of Labor, "which places a premium upon crime committed in its name," has given the following statement to the press:

"To those who have kept in touch with the evidence produced at the trial of the dynamite conspirators at Indianapolis, recently ended, the verdict rendered by the jury, on the morning of Dec. 28, was no surprise. To those who are familiar with the whole history of the hellish plot, and who were more or less responsible for its exposure to the light of day, the verdict was expected. That the array of legal talent employed to defend the criminals fully anticipated the verdict is evidenced, if press reports be correct, by the preparation for an appeal before the jury had reported its conclusions.

"The ending of this trial may be said to be the end of the third act in the legal battle to bring to justice the perpetrators of the 'crime of the century,' the first act being the trial and confession of the McNamaras, and the second the trial of a dangerous man, for jury bribing. Just how many acts the drama will consist of cannot, at present, be determined, but will depend upon circumstances growing out of developments thus far proved, and their relation to the sentences imposed. The fourth act, however, is staged for Jan. 6 at Los Angeles, when Clarence Darrow is slated to be put on trial, the second time, for bribing a juror in the McNamara trial, and in which trial it is to be hoped there will be no miscarriage of justice tending to impugn the integrity of our jury system, or the potency of our courts to deal with the crime and to mete out justice, in full measure, especially in cases which involve the principles upon which organized society depends for its security.

"The results of these trials and the record of organized crime which they have laid bare to the world ought to be sufficient to seal the mouths of all would-be philanthropists who have exposed their simplicity by defending organizations of individuals, and their corrupt leaders, who indorse or make possible a condition of anarchy and violence such as have been revealed by these trials.

"Moreover, if the Federal Congress enacts the legislation so long and persistently demanded by the officials of the American Federation of Labor, and indorsed by the Democratic Party in its platforms of 1908 and 1912, to further the cause and destructive purposes of the men sentenced at Washington, Los Angeles and Indianapolis, and those hidden behind the scenes and at present out of the law's reach, but just as guilty, then faith in our Government, to protect not only its citizens in the right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, but its own very existence, will be impaired, and confidence and hope in our Christian civilization shattered.

"If the party now in control of the affairs of this Nation stands squarely and honestly for the preservation of orderly society, supported by orderly and stable government, it will waste no more time in considering such vicious and anarchic measures as the Clayton anti-injunction and contempt bills, which passed in the House at the last session, and are now pending, in committee, in the Senate. There is now no longer—and for that matter, there never was—a leg to stand upon for the favorable consideration of such measures, and their further consideration can scarcely be viewed by an enlightened people in any light other than a cowardly willingness to prevent the triumph of justice."

LEAVENWORTH MAKES READY.

Prison Warden Expects to Employ Convicted Men at Their Trade.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Dec. 30.—Although the Federal prison here is crowded close to its capacity, Deputy Warden W. H. Mackey said to-day that room would be made for the men sentenced in Indianapolis, and that their services as ironworkers would be welcomed toward completing the task of reroofing the prison.

"I have had no intimation that the men were coming, but have been prepared for that eventuality," Mr. Mackey said. "We have 1,208 prisoners now, and we thought the place was full when we had 1,150. Our limitations are elastic. I shall try to give the men from Indianapolis plenty of work in their own regular lines."

TO PUNISH DRUNKEN DRIVERS

Auto Law Change Would Make Them Guilty of a Felony.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 30.—In his annual report to the Legislature, Secretary of State Lazansky recommends making many amendments to the Callan automobile law, several of which involve radical changes. Some of the amendments, it is thought, will be warmly opposed by manufacturers and owners of motor vehicles. Mr. Lazansky's remedy for the defect in the Callan law, discovered in the case of James Warley, the taxicab driver of New York, who was convicted of reckless driving while intoxicated and was liberated when he pleaded inability to pay a fine, is to make the operation of a motor vehicle by a person who is intoxicated a felony punishable by imprisonment only, with revocation of registration or license.

One of Mr. Lazansky's recommendations is that owners, as well as chauffeurs, shall be examined as to their qualifications and be licensed. "More accidents are caused through the acts of owners than through those of chauffeurs," Mr. Lazansky said.

The taxing of motor cycles, as well as automobiles, is favored by Mr. Lazansky. In the year which will expire on Jan. 31, 1913, the State's revenue under the Callan law will be about $1,000,000. Mr. Lazansky thinks that the amendments he proposes, if adopted, would increase the State's revenue from this source about $250,000 a year.

Among the changes in the law recommended by Mr. Lazansky are these:

Providing that in cities of the first class no license shall be granted by the State without the approval of the Chief of Police.

Giving the Secretary of State the power to refuse any application for license or registration, subject to review by the courts.

Providing that no person under eighteen years of age shall operate an automobile on the public highways.

Providing for uniform speed rules and prohibiting local ordinances with reference to speed.

Giving the Secretary of State authority to require applicants for licenses as chauffeurs to permit prints of their fingers to be taken.

Making effective the power of the courts to punish offenders by specifically providing for imprisonment as well as fines.

Requiring each manufacturer and dealer to notify the Secretary of State within twenty-four hours of the name and address of the person to whom he has sold a motor vehicle.

Providing for a uniform flat rate fee for registration and renewals of registration of automobiles at 50 cents per horse power. For motor cycles the registration fee is placed at $2.

Providing that the owner of every garage shall keep a record of every motor vehicle entering or leaving his place.

"The flat rate fee," Mr. Lazansky said, "will be more equitable than the present fees, which are $5 for cars of twenty-five horse power or less, $10 for cars of from twenty-five to thirty-five horse power, $15 for cars having between thirty-five and fifty horse power, and $25 for all cars of higher power. It will also result in greater revenue."

HEAP UP COMPLAINTS.

Isaac Portman to Face Charges of Grand Larceny and Bigamy.

When Isaac Portman, who says he is a real estate agent of 457 East Ninth Street, Brooklyn, was arraigned before Magistrate Butts in the Jefferson Market Court yesterday he expected to be charged with having cashed a worthless check for $35 at the office of the Foster & Wright Realty Co., 501 Fifth Avenue. Assistant District Attorney Dickinson told the court, however, that since Portman's arrest on Christmas night complaints had come forward with four charges of petty larceny, another of grand larceny, and one of bigamy. Mr. Dickinson wanted more time to prepare all these charges for prosecution, and Magistrate Butts held Portman in $3,000 bail.

Assistant District Attorney Dickinson said the bigamy charge was preferred by Mrs. Bertha Lavine Portman of 1,404 Pitkin Avenue, Brooklyn, who says Portman married her on Jan. 12, 1908, when Mrs. Rachel Greenberg Portman was living at 110 East 111th St.

THOUSANDS GO OUT IN GARMENT STRIKE

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complain, to win them the sympathy of the public.

Fight Aimed at Manufacturers.

"The members of our organization are made up of Italians, Jews, Poles, and Lithuanians," he continued. "They are employed as cutters, machine operators, tailors who work with the needle, and pressers. They make coats, trousers, vests, whole suits, knee pants and overcoats. These are the branches of the clothing industry which are affected by the strike so far. The shirtwaist strike of 1910 was aimed at the contractor. This strike is aimed directly at the manufacturers. We do not want to hold the contractors and sub-contractors responsible for the conditions that exist in the clothing industry to-day. We want to hold responsible those who employ these contractors and sub-contractors.

"The average weekly earnings in all of the branches affected are less than $10 a week. There are those, of course, who get more, but don't forget that there are many who get much less. There is not a tailor who earns more than $15 or $16 a week, and most of them can't make more than $7. Skilled cutters can make $22 a week, but the average is reduced by those who get between $7 and $9 a week. We want all workers put on a weekly basis. The sweatship piecework system must give way to the sanitary workshop. We want $25 a week pay for the best cutters, and $17 to $18 a week for all the other cutters in the trade. In the other lines we want a general increase of 20 per cent."

The warnings of the leaders against violence were not sufficient to prevent some trouble yesterday. In Williamsburg strikers threatened to stop the machinery in the factory of Samuel H. Peck, a coat manufacturer of 118 Jefferson Street. Peck operated a non-union shop, but in the same building there were many union clothing factories. When the whistles blew at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning strikers visited Peck's establishment to get recruits. The reserves from the Hamburg Avenue Police Station were called out, and they dispersed the strikers and their sympathizers from the streets around the factory building. No arrests were made, and the manufacturers continued operations under police protection.

If the figures of the employers are accurate, those on strike do not number 30,000. At the office of Browning, King & Co. it was said that of the 1,000 men in their shops only 20 had struck. Officers of Alfred Benjamin & Co. in Lafayette Place, said that there was no evidence of any trouble among their employes. Eugene Benjamin, head of this firm, and also Chairman of the New York Clothiers' Association, said through his secretary that the men in his establishment seemed to be satisfied with the conditions under which they worked.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the New York Clothiers' Association was called by Mr. Benjamin at the Hotel Brevoort yesterday afternoon. The first call did not bring a quorum, and the meeting was adjourned until 4 o'clock. Some fifteen of the twenty members of the Executive Committe responded, but, owing to the absence of Mr. Benjamin, the meeting was again adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

William R. Corwine, Secretary of the New York association, and also Secretary of the National Association of Clothiers, said that only one manufacturer in the local association had reported a complete tie-up of his shop. Some of the others, he said, had reported a walkout of from 5 per cent. to 20 per cent. of their men.

A man who represents one of the largest textile concerns in this country, and who is familiar with the situation as it affects both sides of the controversy, said yesterday:

"The effects of the shirtwaist strike are well remembered in this city. It is true that the strikers at that time lost their fight, but it is also trut that the shirtwaist manufacturers lost their business, and that business has not returned to New York. The manufacturers are anxious to settle this strike, provided it can be done without too much of a sacrifice to their business. As a matter of fact, it is recognized that the leaders of this strike are men of ability, and that they took their step after due deliberation."

WATCHING FOR SULZER.

He Cannot Slip Into Albany Without the Suffragists Knowing It.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 30.—Governor-elect Sulzer will have hard work getting into Albany to-morrow without the knowledge of Gen. Rosalie Jones, and the suffragists who walked all the way from New York to deliver a message to him. All the afternoon suffragists were on guard at the Union Railway Station and the Hotel Ten Eyck to catch Mr. Sulzer if, by chance, he should arrive to-day. When the Governor-elect does reach here Miss Gladys Coursen, aid to Gen. Jones, will meet him and ask for an audience for the general.

Mrs. Jessie Hardy Stubbs, lecturer and an occasional walker during the suffragists march, said yesterday that she had received a letter from her father, Major A. L. Hardy of Pittsburgh, whom she had not seen in twenty-five years. Major Hardy was once an editor in Chicago. His wife separated from him and he went West.

SECOND VERDICT HOLDS.

Court Confirms $35,000 Damage Award Against the Central.

Although the Brooklyn Appellate Division last year reversed a judgment for $40,000 obtained by Michael Carmody, a carpenter's apprentice, in an action against the New York Central to recover damages for personal injuries, that tribunal yesterday confirmed a verdict of $35,000 awarded to the plaintiff at a second trial of the suit before Justice Putnam in Mineola, L. I., last March.

It was at the second trial of this case that Col. Theodore Roosevelt was called for jury duty. He expressed keen disappointment when he was excused from serving by John J. Graham of Nassau County, attorney for the plaintiff.

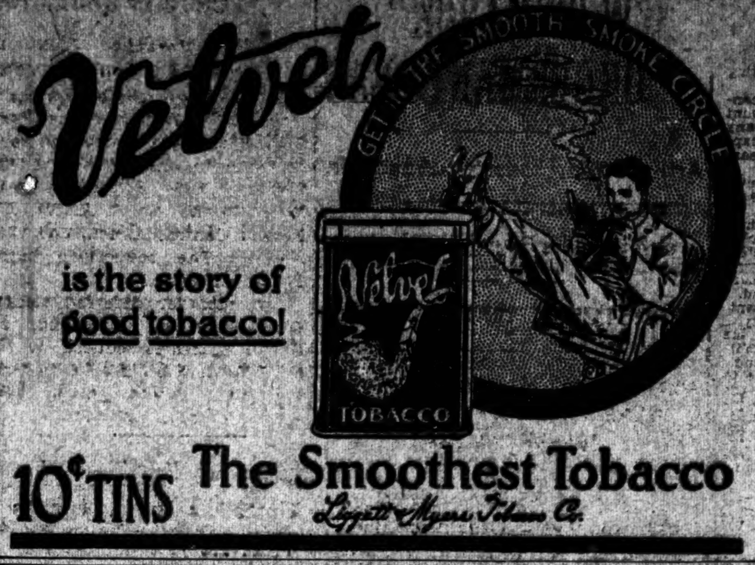
Carmody lost his right foot and left leg by being kicked off a freight train. The first trial was before Justice Walter H. Jaycox. On an appeal of the action the Appellate Division ordered another trial on the ground of newly discovered evidence. Carmody lives at 3,606 Fifteenth Avenue, Brooklyn.

PLAN PAPER IN HEBREW.

Part of Campaign to Make It Replace Yiddish Language.

A movement to start a monthly paper printed in Hebrew was the principal topic of discussion last night at a mass meeting in Clinton Hall, Clinton and Grand Streets, held in honor of 150 Hebrew teachers who are holding a convention this week in Brooklyn. The supplanting of Yiddish by Hebrew and the restoration of the latter as a speaking language among the Jewish people, is one of the principal objects of the convention.

It was announced at last night's meeting that the "Hatoran," a monthly paper in Hebrew, would begin publication in the near future. Delegates to the convention from all over the United States expressed their sympathy with the movement. Among those who spoke were the Rev. Dr. Bernard Drachmann, a candidate for chief rabbi in England; the Rev. Z. H. Masliansky and Abram Goldberg, editor of The Yiddische Volk.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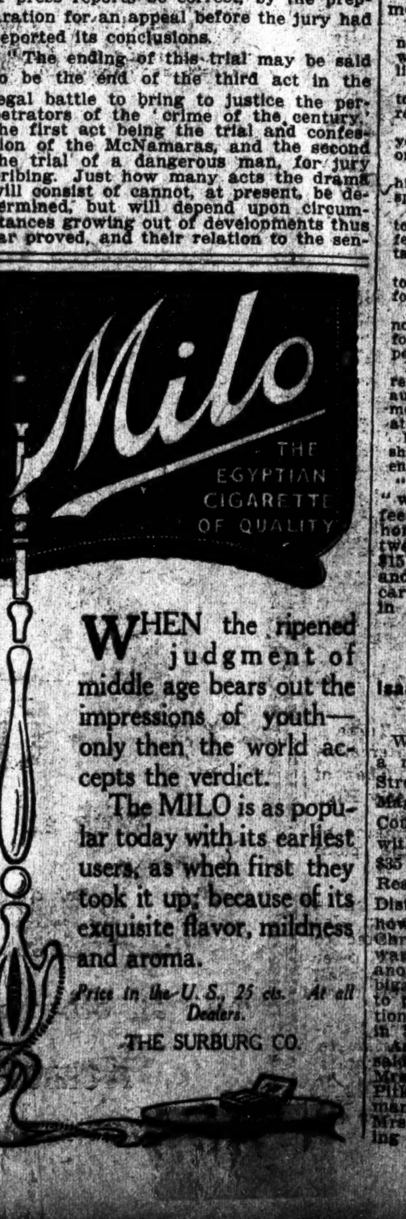
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"NEW BISMARCK" OF GERMANY DEAD

Alfred von Kiderlen-Waechter, Foreign Secretary, Dies Suddenly in His Stuttgart Home.

BERNSTORFF MAY SUCCEED

Ambassador to Washington Regarded in Berlin as Most Likely Candidate for the Post.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Dec. 30.—Alfred von Kiderlen-Wächter, the Secretary of Foreign Affairs since July, 1910, who has been called "the new Bismarck," died at Stuttgart this morning as the result of heart failure after an illness of less than three days. He was 60 years of age.

Herr von Kiderlen, as he was commonly known in Germany, left Berlin on Christmas Eve to spend the holidays with his sister, Baroness von Gemmingen. He appeared his usual jovial self until Saturday, when signs of indisposition showed themselves, and he failed rapidly. The funeral will be held at Stuttgart on Thursday.

Herr von Kiderlen-Wächter, who ranked with the late Baron Marschall von Bieberstein as a shrewd diplomat, was the fourth Foreign Secretary in ten years and the second to die in the harness. His death is a great loss to the Government at this particular crisis in international politics, as he was accounted the greatest expert on Near Eastern affairs in Germany. He was stationed for ten years at Bucharest and repeatedly served as deputy for von Bieberstein as Ambassador at Constantinople.

His last public utterance was a striking Anglophile speech in the Reichstag on Dec. 2, when he laid stress on "the gratifying intimacy" in Anglo-German relations in connection with the Balkan situation.

Although he was the leading spirit in Germany's adventure at Agadir in the Summer of 1911, which had for its aim among other things the smashing of the entente cordiale, he has given numerous proofs in recent times of his cordial desire for an understanding with Great Britain. It was a consummation which lay close to his heart, and he was devoting much energy to this plan at the time of his death.

He did not stand among the apostles of limitless naval competition, and his point of view often brought him into conflict with Admiral von Tirpitz, the head of the Admiralty, and other zealous advocates of a "forward" naval policy.

Herr von Kiderlen Wächter had steadily and rapidly grown in favor with the Kaiser of late. Owing to the inexperience of Herr von Bethmann-Hollweg, the imperial Chancellor, in foreign affairs, the direction of the relations of Germany with other countries had passed almost exclusively into the hands of the Foreign Secretary. He was in supreme charge of the policy of Germany in the crisis which arose from the Balkan war, and his voice and influence were consistently on the side of conciliation and peace.

Talk of Bernstorff to Succeed.

In diplomatic and newspaper circles Count von Bernstorff, Ambassador at Washington, is generally thought most likely to succeed Kiderlen-Wächter. His friends say he has long cherished the ambition to become Foreign Secretary, and assert that no man in the diplomatic service would bring to the position such experience and urbanity. The one thing which might militate against his appointment would be the fact, which it is said he himself admits to be a drawback, of his long service at distant points like Cairo and Washington, which has kept him out of touch with the fast moving events of contemporary European politics.

Count von Bernstorff stands high in the Kaiser's favor, and apparently has an excellent chance to take charge of the Foreign Office. He did not rank as a close friend of Kiderlen-Wächter, who is even credited in some quarters with having thwarted the plan to send von Bernstorff to London as the successor to the late Baron Marschall von Bieberstein.

A decision in regard to a successor of the dead official is not likely to be long deferred, owing to the many complications in the international situation.

BERLIN, Dec. 30.—With reference to the discussion of Count von Berstorff as successor to the late Foreign Secretary, the Tageblatt suggests that von Bernstorff is likely to remain at Washington to conduct the negotiations for a commercial treaty between the United States and Germany.

Others mentioned for the post are Baron Hans von Wangenheim, Ambassador at Constantinople; Prince Charles Max Lichnowsky, Ambassador at London; Baron von dem Bussche-Haddenhausen, Minister at Buenos Aires; Count R. K. K. Rex, Ambassador at Tokio, and Baron Mumm von Schwarzenstein, former Ambassador at Tokio.

Think Von Bernstorff In Line.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Diplomats in Washington recalled to-night that just before Herr von Kiderlen-Wächter was appointed German Secretary for Foreign Affairs in 1910 the name of Count Heinrich von Bernstorff, now Ambassador of Germany in Washington, figured prominently in the gossip over the office. To-night the discussion of the possibility of Count von Bernstorff's nomination was revived.

Count von Bernstorff is credited with favoring conciliatory methods, and this is thought by some diplomats to put him in line for selection as the successor to Kiderlen-Wächter.

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TURKS NOW OFFER MEDIATION SCHEME

Balkan Allies, Indignant at Fresh Proposal for Delay, Threaten an Ultimatum.

DISTRUSTFUL OF POWERS

Bulgarian Leader Says That Unless the Turks Yield on Adrianople the Negotiations Will End.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The peace conference adjourned to-day until Wednesday with the delegates no nearer an agreement than when they first met. It was expected that a certain amount of time would be wanted by the tactics of each side in setting forth demands which it was prepared to moderate, but it was also expected that these demands would offer a reasonable basis for negotiations.

As it is, the allies' proposals are looked upon as impossible of acceptance by the powers, even if the Porte were disposed to entertain them, while the Turkish counter-proposals are so widely opposed to those of the allies that it seems impossible to harmonize them. Under the circumstances the belief is strengthening that the powers will be compelled to take a hand in the negotiations, and it is stated that this is the opinion of the delegates themselves.

The Turkish delegates to-day arrived at the conference with new proposals, but when the time came to present them it was found that they were incomplete and had not been properly translated from the Porte's cipher telegrams. The Turks suggested that the conference should consider such proposals as had been deciphered, but the allies insisted that the proposals should be complete and in writing. Another adjournment, therefore, was necessary.

Although no progress was made, there was an informal exchange of views, during which the Turkish delegates urged that certain questions ought to be referred to the powers for settlement. These questions referred to the future of the Sanjak of Novibazar, Macedonia, and Crete.

It is stated that the Balkan delegates were astonished at the suggestion and impatient over what they declared to be Turkey's inability to realize that she was bargaining with victors. It is reported, in fact, that they decided that at the next meeting they would let it be clearly known that further delay could not be tolerated, and would take steps which would probably be in the nature of an ultimatum.

Allies Present Mediation Plan.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—After a fortnight of delays, Turkey has finally shown her hand with reference to a peace settlement. Mediation by the great powers is the Ottoman scheme for getting out of the war the best results possible, without unduly discrediting the Nation or the envoys.

The Turkish delegates presented this solution in guarded terms at to-day's session, Rechad Pasha stating that it was the Porte's opinion that most of the questions under discussion should be referred to the Ambassadors of the powers for decision.

When the Turkish delegates tried to discuss the questions at issue informally, the Balkan envoys ejaculated, almost in chorus, "This is not the way to present such a far-reaching proposal."

The Turks retorted that if greater formality was required it would be necessary to adjourn, as they were not prepared to put the proposition in writing. So the delegates separated until Wednesday.

The allies express the determination not to waste more time in waiting for telegraphic consultations, real or pretended, between Constantinople and the Turkish delegates in London, and will meet early Wednesday to decide upon their policy.

Mediation has two advantages, from the Turkish viewpoint. The tendency of such an arrangement is always in the direction of a compromise. Moreover, mediation would save the Turkish Government's prestige in the eyes of the people by making it appear that Turkey agreed to the sacrifices which she must make under pressure of all Europe instead of at the dictation of the heretofore despised Balkan States.

The first consideration, from the allies' standpoint, is opposed to their interests. Mediation would be of further disadvantage to them because certain powers, as Austria and Italy, could not be considered disinterested arbitrators.

The allies are agreed that mediation can be accepted on the sole condition that the authority intrusted to the mediators is so limited that it will be impossible to deprive the victors of conquests rightfully gained; that it must take into account the present status of the belligerents, not the ante-bellum status, and, above all, that it must be mediation, not arbitration.

Must Have Adrianople, Says Daneff.

Bulgaria's attitude has not been finally determined. Dr. Daneff, head of the delegation, appeared to-night to be still hopeful, but said that nothing could be outlined until Turkey presented her demands in concrete and well-defined form.

Dr. Daneff is also quoted as saying:

"We are determined that we will not carry on further negotiations until the question of Adrianople has been concluded definitely.

"We are going to have Adrianople. Otherwise the negotiations will be broken off. I myself am inclined to believe that the Turks will give way."

Rumors that Turkey has concluded a loan of many millions in London are untrue. Tentative proposals in this direction have met with the reply that Turkey must conclude peace if she wishes money.

REPORT OF SCUTARI'S FALL.

Belgrade Hears a Rumor That Servians Have Taken the City.

LONDON, Tuesday, Dec. 31.—The Times publishes the following dispatch from Belgrade:

"It is reported that the Minister of War has received a telegram stating that Scutari has fallen to a Servian attack."

Scutari, which is in the northern part of Albania, close to the Montenegrin border, was the first important Turkish stronghold to be besieged. The Montenegrins reached the vicinity a few days after war was declared.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Two interesting wills were probated to-day. That of James Griffith Dearden, formerly High Sheriff of Northampton, reads:

"It is my wish that my remains be cremated and interred at the place where my dog, Pompey, is now buried."

The will, which was written on a sheet of black-edged note paper, also requests that a minister be asked to accompany the mourners and offer extempore prayers, for which he shall receive a guinea and reasonable traveling expenses.

The second will is that of John Rainier McQueen, a Scottish Magistrate, who left nearly the whole of his estate, amounting to more than $365,000, to Magnus Rainier Robertson, "my dear godson, the son of my late butler and servant."

WAIT RUSSIAN TREATY'S END.

Government Is Confident Commerce with Us Won't Be Affected.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The Department of State is awaiting the lapsing of the Russian treaty of commerce and navigation at midnight to-morrow with every confidence that the commerce between the two nations will not be either impaired or embarrassed. The one point over which any question has arisen does not disturb the department, and that is simply as to the standing and powers of consuls after the convention dies.

As explained at the department to-day consular officers get their standing from the general principles of international law, and not under the terms of a particular treaty. In both countries, therefore, they can continue to sign papers, clear ships, and attend to the ordinary commercial requirements. Only in one or two minor matters have they particular powers conferred by treaty. One of these authorizes them to intervene in case of a disturbance between master and crew of a visiting ship from their Nation. Another allows them to assume responsibility for the disposition of the property of a deceased National.

In the first case the powers of Consuls over disturbances on shipboard have largely been nullified by recent legislation, so that the lapsing of the treaty will occasion no readjustment. In the second instance the subject is largely determined by State laws. Thus, in some States the right of a Consul to take over the property of his deceased Nationals is considered inherent in his office. In other States the Consul's right is considered as coming only from treaties. In these States it is possible that the point will be raised in rare instances where a Russian Consul would wish to take over the property of a deceased Russian, but in general everything will go on as before.

MISS INGERSOLL MARRIES.

Colonel's Daughter Weds W. McL. Probasco by Ethical Ritual.

Miss Maude Ingersoll, daughter of the late Robert G. Ingersoll, was married to Wallace McLean Probasco, son of Wallace Probasco of Cincinnati, Ohio, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of her mother, 117 East Twenty-first Street.

The Rev. Dr. John Lovejoy Elliott of the Ethical Culture Society, an old friend of the family, officiated, and the ceremony was according to the very simple ritual of the society, in which the word obey was absent. Dr. Elliott made a brief address before the ceremony, which consisted of simply the statement made in turn by each: "I take you to be my wife (or husband) in love and in truth, for life until death us do part." He then pronounced them man and wife, and without the blessing in the usual form.

The bride, who was unattended, wore a trailing gown of white brocaded satin, the material having been given to her by her father a week before his death. It was trimmed with duchesse and point lace. Her veil, which was of point lace, and which was worn by her grandmother, was surmounted by a coronet of orange blossoms. A small reception followed the ceremony. Mrs. Ingersoll and Mrs. Walston Hill Brown, the bride's sister, received the guests.

Mr. Probasco is a nephew of the late John McLean, Supreme Court Justice. He and his bride will spend a part of their honeymoon in Cincinnati, and will live at the home of the bride's mother upon their return to this city. This is in compliance with a wish of Col. Ingersoll, who always desired to have the members of his family remain together as much as possible. Their marriage, too, was also conducted in conformity to the teachings of the great agnostic. Although the bride is an avowed agnostic, Mr. Probasco's family has been prominent in the Episcopal faith. He has been a student of the teachings of Col. Ingersoll for several years.

Both have been interested in philanthropic and suffrage work in this city, and Mrs. Probasco has been very active in the Woman's Political Union. During the last campaign she was on the Progressive County Committee, and acted as a volunteer watcher at the polls in the district in which she lives.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Tuesday, Dec. 31.—A Budapest dispatch to The Daily Telegraph gives details of atrocities in Albania and elsewhere, as contained in reports gathered for the Austro-Hungarian authorities. The correspondent says:

"On the march through Albania to the sea the Servians did not only treacherously murder and execute armed Albanians, but their beast-like cruelty did not stop at falling upon unarmed and defenseless persons, old men and women, children and infants at the breast.

"The Servian officers, intoxicated by their victory, declared that the most effectual pacification of Albania would be the total extermination of the Mohammedan Albanians. This mot d'ordre was quickly adopted by the Servian Army of occupation and put into practice.

"Between Kumanova and Uskub some 3,000 persons were done to death. Near Pristina 5,000, exclusively Arnauts, fell beneath the hands of the Serbs, not in honorable fight, but by unjustifiable murder.

"To carry out these crimes the maddened soldiers even invented new methods of cruelty to satisfy their lust for blood. In many villages all the houses were set afire, and as the unfortunate inhabitants fled before the flames they were shot down like rats. Men were shot in the sight of their wives and children, and afterward the helpless women were forced to watch their children literally carved to pieces with bayonets.

"Executions were the daily diversion of the Servian soldiers. In every house in which arms were found all the inhabitants were killed, being shot or hanged. On single days as many as thirty-six executions took place.

"The former Secretary of Premier Pasitch, Herr Tomiatch, says that during a journey from Prisrend to Ipek he saw nothing, but villages burned to the ground. The wayside was lined with gallows, from which the bodies of Albanians hung. The road to Diakowitza was like a "gallows alley."

But the tale of the atrocities which were perpetrated in Albania was by no means exhausted. The deeds done in Prilep, Kossovo, Weschitza, it is said, exceed everything which the Albanians had to suffer under Turkish rule.

An Albanian of note, who fled from Prisrend to Graz, in Styria, and who studied in Austria as a youth, relates the following story:

"Whoever denounced an Albanian to the Servians was sure the man would be shot. It happened repeatedly that persons who owed money to Albanian Mohammedans informed on them, designating them as traitors. They were invariably hanged and the debtor was enabled to purchase the house and farm of the victim at an absurdly low price.

"In Uskub unarmed Albanians were simply shot down by the Servian officers in the street, and if only a hunting knife was found in a house the owner was shot, no mercy being shown."

At Verisovitch the Servian Commander invited the fugitives to return and lay down their arms. After they had done this 400 persons were cut down. In the whole of Verisovitch only half a dozen Mohammedan families were left alive.

At Pana the Serbs killed their prisoners, while at Varos and Pristina the population was slaughtered.

The Servian officers themselvs say they hunted out the Albanians, and one officer boasted that he shot down nine Albanians in one day.

Even outside the boundaries of Albania the Servian soldiers perpetrated all kinds of atrocities. In the fortress of Nish, where many Turkish prisoners were brought, tragic scenes occurred. A man was trampled to death there for insubordination.

A doctor of the Red Cross says:

"Wherever the Albanians were found they were slain without mercy. Women, children and old men were not spared. I saw villages in flames in old Servia every day.

"Near Kratovo Gen. Stefanovitch placed hundreds of prisoners in two rows and had them shot down with machine guns.

"Gen. Zivkovitch had 950 Albanian and Turkish notables killed near Sienitza because they opposed his progress."

WEALTH IN SPITZBERGEN.

Danish Engineers Say It Has Rich Deposits of Coal—Maybe Gold.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The Daily Telegraph's Copenhagen correspondent says that engineers who have returned from Spitzbergen after constructing a wireless station for the Norwegian Government, express the view that the natural resources of the islands are much more valuable than has been generally supposed.

An American coal syndicate has obtained excellent results from the first working of the mines, with only eighty men, and will increase its staff to 300 men this Winter. Norwegian coal-mining companies have also done well. A valuable deposit of marble is said to have been discovered, and it is believed that gold and precious stones will be found.

NEW CUTS IN CABLE RATES.

Deferred Messages from England Will Be 3 Cents a Word.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The Postmaster General to-night announced several reductions in charges for telegrams to Canada, New Foundland, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Rhodesia, British Central Africa, and the United States. The reductions become effective on Jan. 1.

The rate for deferred telegrams to Canada, New Foundland, and the United States is reduced by 1½ pence (3 cents) a word if sent by the Anglo-American, Direct United States, or Western Union Companies.

The rate for cable letters to Eastern America is reduced from 6 shillings ($1.44) for twenty-one words to 3 shillings (72 cents) for thirteen words, and will be delivered on the day after its dispatch.

For week-end cable letters the rate will be 4½ shillings ($1.08) for twenty-five words, and will be delivered on Monday instead of Tuesday. A service of week-end cable letters to be dispatched on Saturday and delivered Tuesday will be introduced in connection with Australasia, South Africa, Rhodesia, and Nyasaland. The charge to Australasia will be 18 shillings ($4.32) for twenty-four words, and to Africa 15 shillings ($3.60) for thirty words.

TOM BROWN'S SECOND DIES.

Rugby Fight Described in Novel Recalled by Mr. Holway's Death.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—John George Holway, one of the seconds in the great fight between Tom Brown, the hero, in "Tom Brown's Schooldays," and Slogger Williams, has died at Worthing in his ninetieth year. The Rev. Augustus Orlebar, the original of Tom Brown, for whom Holway acted as second, died last October. Mr. Holway was at Rugby with Tom Hughes, the author of the famous school story, and in an interview nearly two years ago he expressed the belief that Judge Hughes himself was a backer of Slogger Williams, who in real life is the Very Rev. Chancellor Bulkeley Owen Jones, now living in Deganwy, North Wales.

ROYAL GREETINGS TO TAFT.

King Victor and the Kaiser Send Him New Year Messages.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—New Year greetings came to President Taft to-day from King Victor Emmanuel of Italy and the German Emperor. The former's message read:

"Many good wishes to you and your country for a happy New Year."

The Kaiser telegraphed:

"At the close of the year I express to you and to the American people my sincerest good wishes for the coming year."

SAY MAYOR STABBED WOMEN.

Police of French City Arrest Official for Attempted Murder.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 30.—A sensation was caused in Paris to-night by the news of the arrest of the Mayor of Gentilly in connection with the attempted murder of two middle-aged women at Perreux, near Paris, on Saturday evening. Until this sensational development the crime aroused little public interest.

It appears that on Friday night a man called at the bungalow occupied by the two women, who were sisters, to inquire for the husband of one of them, M. Chabreux, a banker, with whom he had had business transactions some time since. He was told that M. Chabreux had died a fortnight ago. He went away, apparently very upset. The next evening, however, he returned with a small parcel, for which he said he wanted a receipt. Mathilde Hollet, the sister of the widow, was in the act of writing this, when she was stabbed in the neck. On hearing her screams Mme. Chabreux rushed in to the room and was also stabbed.

Both women were removed to a hospital. They were able to give a description of their assailant, which tallied with that of a man whom Mme. Chabreux's son states he had seen with his father previous to his death. Working upon that clue and the fact that the covering of the parcel left by the assailant bore the tell-tale impression of a button, the police arrested to-day Eugene Prosper Pierrou, Mayor of Gentilly. He is a leather merchant, with a residence in Paris, a warehouse in the business quarter of the city and a tannery at Gentilly. He emphatically denies any connection with the crime.

PEERAGE FOR MR. BRYCE.

London Report That the Ambassador Will Be Honored by King George.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—It is reported that James Bryce, Ambassador to the United States, is to be made a peer, and that the announcement will be a feature of the King's list of New Year honors.

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Old System of Sub-Treasury Warrants to be Dropped on Feb. 1.

PENSIONERS WILL BENEFIT

Escape Payment of Exchange—How Change Will be of Benefit to the Banking World.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh decided to-day to put into effect on Feb. 1 a new system relating to the receipts and disbursements of the Government. The importance of the proposed changes may be grasped when it is understood that the Government collects and disburses more than $700,000,000 a year. Under the present system checks are received from those who pay their customs dues or internal revenue taxes. These checks are cashed and deposited immediately in the Sub-Treasuries.

The law has been interpreted to prohibit a disbursing officer of the Government from having an account with a bank in a Sub-Treasury city. He must have his account with the Sub-Treasury. In practice this means that the income of the Government must be turned into actual currency—which is the only deposit an Assistant Treasurer can receive—and then paid out in cash from the Sub-Treasury to the creditors of the Government.

By the new system all, instead of only a part of the income of the Government, will be received by the banks in the form of checks. The payments of the Government will be made by checks drawn by disbursing officers on the Treasurer of the United States, payable at any National bank depositary and charged to the Treasurer. In operation the daily receipts and disbursements of the Government will be taken care of without actually transmitting into currency the income, and paying it out in the same medium.

In order to transact the business of the Government in New York City, under the present practice, it is necessary for the Collector of Customs to carry to the Assistant Treasurer at the end of the day the total amount of his receipts—a million or more—in checks. The Assistant Treasurer puts these checks through the Clearing House the next day to obtain currency, the only thing he can deposit. He pays out this currency as required to meet checks of disbursing officers drawn on their accounts held with him. This is the only manner in which the currency again reaches the channels of trade.

The receipts from internal revenue are now paid in checks and placed in the banks, which are required to transfer these collections in currency to the Sub-Treasury. The result is that practically the entire income of the Government finds its way into the Sub-Treasuries in the form of currency, although the taxpayers pay in the form of checks. When these checks are stopped in the banks, and the banks receive authority to pay the checks of disbursing officers as presented and charged to the Treasurer, the daily business of the Government will be transacted without the formal transfer into currency, except as the payees of the Government checks demand. The disturbance of Government financing will thus be reduced to a minimum.

Should the Government have an excess of receipts over disbursements, this excess would find its way into the Sub-Treasuries, to constitute the financial reserve of the Government. At the present time the receipts and disbursements of the Government are just about equal, so that the present reserve of approximately $50,000,000 will not be disturbed and the daily operations of the Government will be conducted without aid of the Sub-Treasuries.

The date, Feb. 1, when the new system should be put into operation was selected so that it might accord with the new system of payment of pension checks, which under the law is to begin then. Checks in payment of pensions under the proposed system may be collected without the payment of exchange by the pensioner.

Some bankers with whom Secretary MacVeagh has been in consultation regarding the introduction of this reform obtained the idea that this new plan of check instead of warrant payments contemplated a heavy decrease in Treasury deposits in the National banks. This idea was erroneous.

As an illustration of how the proposed practice will be of benefit generally to the banking world this example may be given. A bank in Kansas City, which is not a Government depositary, may receive a Government check from its customer, who is a contractor for $50,000, and will receive credit by the bank for the deposit of this check. The bank at this particular time needs a credit of $50,000 in New York. Instead of buying exchange on New York for $50,000 it will mail its check to its correspondent bank in New York for this amount. The correspondent in New York will put the check through the Clearing House at New York to a Government depositary bank and receive credit or currency for the amount. The transfer of funds is thus made without expense.

Another illustration of the advantage to banking interests may be given in this example: A bank in Minneapolis, which is required to make payment of $50,000 a day for the Government and has need for $50,000 a day in Chicago, may have placed to its credit, by the Government in Chicago that amount each day, and thus save the expense to the bank of transferring funds in this manner.

The great advantage to the Government in the new system will be that the accounts of each of the 3,000 disbursing officers, instead of being scattered among the Sub-Treasuries and the 446 National bank depositaries, will be brought together in the office of the Treasurer of the United States. It will thus be possible for the Secretary of the Treasury to know precisely each day the amount of money paid out by disbursing officers and by each depositary. Under the present practice, with the accounts of disbursing officers scattered throughout the country, it is impossible to know the exact fiscal condition of the Government at any precise time.

RACES SHOULD BE PRESERVED

Prof. Kallen Does Not Believe in American "Melting Pot" Theory.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—"An unfaithful Jew makes a bad American," declared Prof. H. M. Kallen of the University of Wisconsin in the principal address to-day at the convention of Zionists here.

"America is not the 'melting pot' for all the races," he said. "Racial characteristics, religions, and traditions must be preserved in order to preserve the virility of the individual. The immigrant must not be taught that it is his proper ambition to merge himself into a formless imitation that he thinks is an 'American.'"

The convention is urging the recolonization of Palestine by Jews and the support of the forty-two agricultural colonies which have been placed there.

WILSON MEN PLAN U. S. SENATE FIGHT

Conference at Trenton to Keep Important Chairmanships from Reactionaries.

ATTACK ON SENIORITY RULE

Governor's Need of Bryan's Support Strongly Urged — Underwood at Jersey Capitol To-day.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 30.—For thirty minutes this afternoon, in the outer office of Gov. Wilson, a group of Senators and Senators-elect discussed in spirited fashion a plan to reorganize from the bottom up the United States Senate for its first Democratic session.

The first objective of the proposed reorganization will be to sidetrack from the Chairmanship of the most important Senate committees the veteran Democratic statesmen who are in line to succeed the Republican incumbents through the operation of the seniority rule.

Senator Martin of Virginia, in line to succeed Senator Nelson of Minnesota as Chairman of the Committee on Commerce, and Senator Simmons of North Carolina, in line to succeed Senator Smoot of Utah as Chairman of the Finance Committee, will probably be selected as focusing points for the approaching fight.

Senator Luke Lea of Tennessee, who talked very intently with Senator-elect Hughes about the situation in the Senate, made this statement:

"The law of primogeniture has been outlived in the world at large. There is no more reason why it should survive in the United States Senate than in any other place. The House has found a way to break up the inheritance system in regard to committee Chairmanships, and you can judge for yourself whether the Senate is likely to do the same thing."

So far the President-elect has refused to comment publicly on the Senate situation or give any intimation of his views upon it. His friends are well aware of the fact that he faces the probability of submitting his progressive programme to a reactionary organization in the Senate, even if it is nominally Democratic by a narrow margin, and that unless the more important committees are filled with newly elected Progressives there will probably be much hard going for the favorite Wilson measures. Mr. Bryan, who launched a public demand for the reorganization of the Senate, has been bitterly assailed for meddling by conservative Democrats who have come to Princeton for conferences, while representatives of the radical wing of the party have been just as pronounced in their praise.

The plan to overthrow the Senate organization most frequently mentioned is one calling for a session of the Democratic members in caucus. It is believed that such a caucus will yield a majority vote in favor of the radical wing of the party, and that a committee can be named, dominated by radically inclined members, to submit to the caucus for its approval a list of all Senatorial Chairmanships.

In this way any particular Senator deposed will be unable, it is anticipated, to focus his wrath upon any one group in the Senate, as the caucus will finally pass upon all matters pertaining to the Chairmanship. An intimate friend of Gov. Wilson expressed himself to-day as perfectly certain that since Gov. Wilson would go into office with a relationship to Mr. Bryan somewhat resembling President Taft's to Col. Roosevelt, the Governor was not going "to make the fatal mistake of Mr. Taft by disappointing the progressive leaders in their expected support."

Another supporter of Gov. Wilson, who says of himself that he "would go through fire and water for William J. Bryan," was busy foretelling what would happen among the voting legions of the West if Gov. Wilson should ever "so much as glance sidewise from the straight path of following the Bryan brand of Democracy." He urged friends of the President-elect to impress upon him the necessity of offering Bryan a Cabinet position, "even if only to obtain an honorable refusal with a statement of support and good heart toward the Administration." This supporter of Gov. Wilson had a conference with him, but said he did not bring up the Bryan matter, as he was not asked about it directly and did not feel it was courteous to force it.

Senator Lea went in to see the President-elect at the conclusion of his conference with Senator-elect Hughes to discuss the danger of the election of a reactionary as junior Senator from Tennessee in the place of "Fiddling Bob" Taylor, who died some time ago. Senator Lea, it is believed, asked Gov. Wilson to throw his support to a progressive candidate and against ex-Gov. Malcolm Patterson.

Another statesman, who came to see Gov. Wilson about troubles in his own State was Col. J. Ham Lewis of Illinois, who is the choice of the Democratic primaries to succeed Senator Cullom. Col. Lewis fared worse than most Democratic favorites at the primaries, as the Legislature which is to elect him has a neat quota of Bull Moose and Socialist members. Col. Lewis came to ask Gov. Wilson, who fairly loathes all matters connected with patronage and refused persistently to use the power of patronage to force through his reform measures in New Jersey, to dole out patronage to the Bull Moosers and Socialists in Illinois in return for their support of his candidacy.

"I cannot, of course, discuss the things Gov. Wilson said to me," said Col. Lewis, "but for myself I can say that I called the Governor's attention to the strong likelihood of having two Democratic Senators from Illinois. I pointed out that the two Democratic Senators could be obtained by the addition of six Progressive votes in the House and one in the Senate, which is evenly divided."

Congressman Redfield of Brooklyn, Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, Senator John Sharp Williams of Mississippi, and Congressman Slayden of Texas, filled up the President-elect's time during the late afternoon.

"Has Mr. Redfield been suggested for the Cabinet?" the President-elect was asked after the Brooklyn Congressman had gone.

"I dare say he has," smiled Mr. Wilson, "for everybody else has been. But I don't remember his case specifically."

For to-morrow President-elect Wilson's principal political conference will be with Representative Oscar W. Underwood, majority leader in the House. Mr. Underwood was invited to come to Trenton at the same time as Speaker Champ Clark and W. J. Bryan, but was kept in Washington with a severe cold.

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J. J. HILL WANTS NO OFFICE.

"Could Not Consider Appointment," He Says of Cabinet Rumor.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 30.—Although enthusiasm has been aroused in the Northwest by the suggestion that James J. Hill might be selected as Secretary of Agriculture by President Wilson it is not likely that Mr. Hill will permit his name to be considered.

"It would be ungrateful to decline the honor," said Mr. Hill in St. Paul to-day, "but I could not consider appointment to a public office."

It is the opinion of business men in the Twin Cities that Mr. Wilson, by making Mr. Hill a member of his Cabinet, would do a most popular thing, but it is felt that Mr. Hill would not drop his railroad interests and his new banking enterprises to take public office.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The movement started in the West and Middle West by bankers and business men seeking to bring about the selection of James J. Hill as Secretary of Agriculture in the Wilson Cabinet meets with the warm approval of Senator Henry L. Myers, a Progressive Democrat from Montana.

"Mr. Hill is a resident of Minnesota," said Mr. Myers to-day, "but we have a very friendly feeling for him in Montana. In fact, all through the West and Northwest Mr. Hill is considered a big, clean man of extraordinary ability. He is a farmer on a large scale. In developing his railroads he has made traffic by developing enormous agricultural areas. Those areas now feed his roads, as he planned many years ago."

Mr. Myers said that Mr. Hill's great railroad interests would not operate against his selection as a member of the Cabinet of President Wilson. Mr. Hill's unvarying solicitude for the prosperity of the people in the many States tapped by his railway lines has won for him a wide popularity in the Northwest. As Mr. Myers expressed it, Mr. Hill is considered a friend of the people.

VALUES WOMAN'S ATTIRE.

Court Finds That She Should Get an Adequate Outfit for $43.

Wives no more will be expensive luxuries if Vice Chancellor Lindley A. Garrison's radical ruling, that $43 worth of outer garments is enough for any wife, is accepted.

The happy news was published from the bench in the Court of Chancery, Jersey City, yesterday, following an application for separate maintenance and alimony brought by Mrs. Marjorie Holton of 314 York Street, Jersey City, against Gene Holton on the ground of inadequate support.

Mrs. Holton's counsel exhibited a letter of credit furnished her by her husband in which it was specified that she was not to be trusted for clothing more expensive than the following:

A suit	$20
A coat	18
One pair of shoes	4
One pair of corsets	1

An exception was made later in the case of corsets, for which Mrs. Holton might, as an extra treat, pay an additional dollar.

Vice Chancellor Garrison denied the application, and issued his statements concerning dress.

"Of course," said he with conviction, "a woman dressing on this scale could not go out to bridge parties and inflame her contemporaries with jealousy, but I have seen excellent suits advertised for less than $20. More than that, I have seen these same articles of wearing apparel in use and have admired them.

"In my judgment a woman can buy a suitable overcoat for $18. I have seen such overcoats advertised and have also seen them worn. For shoes $4 is a liberal allowance."

"So far as corsets are concerned," he said, with the happy air of a connoisseur, "I am sure I have seen advertisements of handsome and substantial corsets for $1 and $1.10. I am forced to conclude then that $2 is ample and it would seem that $1 should be sufficient."

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh decided to-day to put into effect on Feb. 1 a new system relating to the receipts and disbursements of the Government. The importance of the proposed changes may be grasped when it is understood that the Government collects and disburses more than $700,000,000 a year. Under the present system checks are received from those who pay their customs dues or internal revenue taxes. These checks are cashed and deposited immediately in the Sub-Treasuries

The law has been interpreted to prohibit a disbursing officer of the Government from having an account with a bank in a Sub-Treasury city. He must have his account with the Sub-Treasury. In practice this means that the income of the Government must be turned into actual currency—which is the only deposit an Assistant Treasurer can receive—and then paid in cash from the Sub-Treasury to the creditors of the Government.

By the new system all, instead of only a part of the inscome of the Government, will be received by the banks in the form of checks. The payments of the Government will be made by checks drawn by disbursing officers on the Treasurer of the United States, payable at any National bank depositary and charged to the Treasurer. In operation the daily receipts and disbursements of the Government will be taken care of without actually transmitting into currency the income, and paying it out in the same medium.

Present Practice Cumbersome.

In order to transact the business of the Government in New York City, under the present practice, it is necessary for the Collector of Customs to carry to the Assistant Treasurer at the end of the day the total amount of his receiptsa million or more—in checks. The Assistant Treasurer puts these checks through the Clearing House the next day to obtain currency, the only thing he can deposit. He pays out this currency as required to meet checks of disbursing officers drawn on their accounts held with him. This is the only manner in which the currency again reaches the channels of trade.

The receipts from internal revenue are now paid in checks and placed in the banks, which are required to transfer these collections in currency to the Sub-Treasury. The result is that practically the entire income of the Government finds its way into the Sub-Treasuries in the form of currency, although the taxpapers pay in the form of checks. When these checks are stopped in the banks, and the banks receive authority to pay the checks of disbursing officers as presented and charged to the Treasurer, the daily business of the Government will be transacted without the formal transfer into currency, except as the payees of the Government checks demand. The disturbance of Government financing will thus be reduced to a minimum.

Should the Government have an excess of receipts over disbursements, this excess would find its way into the Sub-Treasuries, to constitute the financial reserve of the Government. At the present time the receipts and disbursements of the Government are just about equal, so that the present reserve of approximately $50,000,000 will not be disturbed and the daily operations of the Government will be conducted without aid of the Sub-Treasuries.

The date, Feb. 1, when the new system should be put into operation was selested so that it might accord with the new system of payment of pension checks, which under the law is to begin then. Checks in payment of pensions under the proposed system may be collected without the payment of exchange by the pensioner.

Some bankers with whom Secretary MacVeagh has been in consultation regarding the introduction of this reform obtained the idea that this new plan of check instead of warrant payments contemplated a heavy decrease in Treasury deposits in the National banks. This idea was erroneous.

Benefits of New Plan.

As an illustration of how the proposed practice will be of benefit generally to the banking world this example may be given. A bank in Kansas City, which is no ta Government depositary, may receive a Government check from its customer, who is a contractor for $50,000, and will receive credit by the bank for the deposit of this check. The bank at this particular time needs a credit of $50,000 in New York. Instead of buying exchange on New York for $50,000 it will mail its check to its correspondent bank in New York for this amount. The correspondent in New York will put the check through the Clearing House at New York to a Government depositary bank and receive credit or currency for the amount. The transfer of funds is thus made without expense.

Another illustration of the advantage to banking interests may be given in this example: A bank in Minneapolis, which is required to make payment of $50,000 a day for the Government and has need for $50,000 a day in Chicago, may have placed to its credit, by the Government, in Chicago that amount each day, and thus save the expense to the bank of transferring funds in this manner.

The great advantage to the Government in the new system will be that the accounts of each of the 3,000 disbursing officers, instead of being scattered among the Sub-Treasuries and the 446 National bank depositaries, will be brought together in the office of the Treasurer of the United States. It will thus be possible for the Secretary of the Treasury to know precisely each day the amount of money paid out by disbursing officers and by each depositary. Under the present practice, with the accounts of disbursing officers scattered throughout the country, it is impossible to know the exact fiscal condition of the Government at any precise time.

WAIT RUSSIAN TREATY'S END.

Government Is Confident Commerce with Us Won't Be Affected.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The Department of State is awaiting the lapsing of the Russian treaty of commerce and navigation at midnight to-morrow with every confidence that the commerce between the two nations will not be either impaired or embarrassed. The one point over which any question has arisen does not disturb the department, and that is simply as to the standing and powers of consuls after the convention dies.

As explained at the department to-day consular officers get their standing from the general principles of international law, and not under the terms of a particular treaty. In both countries, therefore, they can continue to sign papers, clear ships, and attend to the ordinary commercial requirements. Only in one or two minor matters have they particular powers conferred by treaty. One of these authorizes them to intervene in case of a disturbance between master and crew of a visiting ship from their Nation. Another allows them to assume responsibility for the disposition of the property of a deceased National.

In the first case the powers of Consuls over disturbances on shipboard have largely been nullified by recent legislation, so that the lapsing of the treaty will occasion no readjustment. In the second instance the subject is largely determined by State laws. Thus, in some States the right of a Consul to take over the property of his deceased Nationals is considered inherent in his office. In other States the Consul's right is considered as coming only from treaties. In these States it is possible that the point will be raised in rare instances where a Russian Consul would wish to take over the property of a deceased Russian, but in general everything will go on as before.

Inauguration of Governor Sulzer.

Go to Albany for the Inaugural Ceremonies via Peoples Line Steamers. Leave Pier 32 North River 6:00 P. M. Due Albany 7:00 A. M. Leave Albany 8:30 P. M. Round Trip fare [illegible]—Adv.

MISS INGERSOLL MARRIES.

Colonel's Daughter Weds W. McL. Probasco by Ethical Ritual.

Miss Maude Ingersoll, daughter of the late Robert G. Ingersoll, was married to Wallace McLean Probasco, son of Wallace Probasco of Cincinnati, Ohio, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of her mother, 117 East Twenty-first Street.

The Rev. Dr. John Lovejoy Elliott of the Ethical Culture Society, an old friend of the family, officiated, and the ceremony was according to the very simple ritual of the society, in which the word obey was absent. Dr. Elliott made a brief address before the ceremony, which consisted of simply the statement made in turn by each: "I take you to be my wife (or husband) in love and in truth, for life until death us do part." He then pronounced them man and wife, and without the blessing in the usual form.

The bride, who was unattended, wore a trailing gown of white brocaded satin, the material having been given to her by her father a week before his death. It was trimmed with duchesse and point lace. Her veil, which was of point lace, and which was worn by her grandmother, was surmounted by a coronet of orange blossoms. A small reception followed the ceremony. Mrs. Ingersoll and Mrs. Walston Hill Brown, the bride's sister, received the guests.

Mr. Probasco is a nephew of the late John McLean, Supreme Court Justice. He and his bride will spend a part of their honeymoon in Cincinnati, and will live at the home of the bride's mother upon their return to this city. This is in compliance with a wish of Col. Ingersoll, who always desired to have the members of his family remain together as much as possible. Their marriage, too, was also conducted in conformity to the teachings of the great agnostic. Although the bride is an avowed agnostic, Mr. Probasco's family has been prominent in the Episcopal faith. He has been a student of the teachings of Col. Ingersoll for several years.

Both have been interested in philanthropic and suffrage work in this city, and Mrs. Probasco has been very active in the Woman's Political Union. During the last campaign she was on the Progressive County Committee, and acted as a volunteer watcher at the polls in the district in which she lives.

Win Cups for Small Arms Practice.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The silver cups, awarded annually in the Asiatic and Pacific fleets for the highest aggregate score in small arms practice, have been won this year by the gunboat Helena of the Asiatic fleet and the cruiser South Dakota of the Pacific fleet. The cup for the Atlantic fleet will be awarded in a few days as the year's score for that fleet has not yet been computed.

The Arkansas at Havana.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The battleship Arkansas, which landed President Taft at Key West yesterday, arrived today at Havana, where the ship's company will spend New Year's day. Later the ship will proceed to the New York Navy Yard to make ready for the approaching mid-Winter cruise of the fleet to the West Indies.

Manufacturers

THIS IS THE CLEAN-UP. We are offering a limited amount of floor space in our Industrial Buildings at very attractive rates. These buildings will be ready for occupancy in January, rent to commence MAY 1st, '13. RAILROAD AND STEAMSHIP FACILITIES, everything fireproof. Minimum rates for power and insurance. 'Phone 2130 Broad or call at

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Today We Ring Out the Old Year With a Final Phalanx of Offerings

In Our Third YEAR-END SALE

Many of the good things announced for Friday, Saturday and Monday, will be here in good supply, even though space forbids telling their story again. Depend upon it, that you will be delighted with what you find. COME EARLY.

Last Day to Share These

Men's OVERCOATS and SUITS At $16.50

For $25 to $30 Grades

Hundreds of men are chuckling over the fine savings they have made on Suits and Overcoats (from some of the best wholesale tailors of America) that they have already purchased in this event.

If YOU intend to get new clothing for New Year's, come early today, and we'll do our best to make any slight alteration, and get your Suit or Overcoat home to you in time to wear it on January 1st.

The Suits are all in fine all-wool Winter fabrics, including many of the smart new shades, such as red browns and purplish tones, as well as blues, grays and mixtures. Conservative and English soft-tailored models.

The Overcoats comprise Chesterfields, mostly in black, and various handsome and comfortable styles of Ulsters and Greatcoats.

Today—Last Day—At $16.50

Regularly $25, $28 and $30

Fourth Floor

Annual Sale of Shirts and Pajamas

When you can buy Shirts for **$1.25** that at any other time would cost you $2, or Pajamas at **$1.35** for which you would gladly pay $2 or $2.50 with equal economies in a dozen other cases, it surely is worth while grasping your opportunity.

That's what more men than ever are finding out during this Annual Sale for Men.

Every one of the thousands of garments comprising it was NEWLY and SPECIALLY made for us, according to our regular high standards, from materials in new and DESIRABLE designs and colorings.

Assortments in these groups still hold good:

SHIRTS

- **$1 Percale Shirts, plain or pleated, 75c**
- **$1.25 Percale and Madras Shirts, 95c**
- **$2 Soft-cuff Shirts, fine patterns, $1.35. Satin-striped Mercerized Shirts, $1.65**
- **$5 Pure Silk Shirts, soft cuffs, $3.75**
- **$3 Silk-and-Cotton Shirts, soft cuffs, $2.25**

PAJAMAS

- **$2 White Madras Pajamas, $1**
- **$2 Mercerized Madras Pajamas, $1.35. (In plain colors or stripes.)**
- **Silk-mixed Pajamas, $2.75.**

Main Floor

Enter Your Deposits With GIMBEL BROTHERS, *Bankers On That "New Leaf" for 1913*

Your January dividend checks—
Your share of the "Christmas distribution"—
Any other money that you're able to spare—
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Long office hours—9 to 5 every business day.

Convenient location—Broadway and Thirty-third Street, on the Rear Balcony of the Main Floor of the Gimbel Store.

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For the New Year's Eve party tonight, the New Year's dinner tomorrow—and between times, of course there must be candy. These Gimbel Candies are delicious and specially priced. ¶ Mixtures of various sorts of hard and clear Candies, 10c lb., regularly 20c.

5-lb. boxes of Mixed Chocolates, Bonbons and Fruits at $1, usually $1.50.

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Six styles are involved in this price-reduction—patent coltskin, gun-metal calf, and tan Russia calf, each in button and lace.

The Shoes are graceful and modish, made on a high arch last, with high Cuban heels. A quality that we deem excellent at the regular price of $4, today, at the special price of $2.85 a pair. **Second Floor**

The Beautiful Garden of WASH COTTONS *In Designs for Spring, 1913* Is in Full Bloom on the Second Floor

Many new designs, restricted to Gimbels, are displayed in exquisite colorings. Mingled with the showing are some remarkable special offerings. The collection is rich in suggestion of fabrics for gowns for Southern resort wearing. **Second Floor**

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January White Sales in Progress

Present savings that should interest thousands at this season. Stocks were never so large or assorrments so satisfying. To-day is a splendid day for buying opportunities here.

Mountains of Dainty White Undermuslins in this January Sale at Wonderful Savings

AS USUAL it will be one of the most impressive sales of its kind ever held in Greater New York. Preparations for this sale have been going on for months. Thousands of dainty undergarments, fashioned with great cleverness from snowy white muslins, cambrics and nainsooks. Styles the season's newest—trimmings of daintiest embroideries and laces—workmanship and fit above criticism. "Eagle Brand" Underwear, which is made especially for Simpson Crawford Co., will be well represented in this sale. As usual our display of fine French Lingerie will be particularly fine and moderately priced.

Gowns, values to 89c Fine nainsooks in slipover models, trimmed with embroidery, laces and ribbons; sale price.......... **58c**

Skirts, values to $1 Of cambric body with tucked flounce and ruffle of pretty embroidery or lace trimmed, also Japanese embroidered, at **69c**

Drawers, values to 59c Fine cambric, French band, trimmed with ruffle of fine embroidery or laces and cluster tucks; sale price.......... **28c**

Corset Covers, values to 50c Several styles of soft nainsooks with inserting of embroidery, Val. laces and wash ribbons; most extraordinary values at sale price.......... **28c**

Combinations, values to $1 Fine nainsooks, in a number of styles, trimmed with embroidery and laces; beading and ribbon at waist.......... **69c**

French Chemise, values to $1.25 French percale, hand-embroidered and hand-scalloped, tape-run; one of the best values of the sale, at.......... **58c**

Night Gowns

15 Styles Gowns in soft nainsooks, slipover models, trimmed with embroidery, laces and medallions and ribbons; value $1.00; at.......... **69c**

40 Styles Gowns in fine nainsooks or cambrics, trimmed with fine laces, medallions, dainty embroideries; values $1.25 and $1.39; at.......... **$1.00**

20 Styles Gowns of mull nainsooks, trimmed with fine laces and medallions or new embroidery insertions and edges; value $2.00; at.......... **$1.50**

15 Styles Gowns at this popular price, of mull nainsooks, elaborated with pretty laces and medallions and wash ribbons; value $2.75; at **$2.00**

10 Styles Gowns of mull nainsook, elaborately trimmed with pretty laces and medallions and ribbons; value $3.75; at.......... **$2.95**

Finer Gowns in dainty styles; priced $3.95, $4.95 to.......... **$14.75**

Combinations

20 Styles $1.50 Combinations in nainsook; cover and drawers or skirt, lace and medallion or emboidery trimmed, beading and ribbons.......... **$1.00**

Allover Embroidery Cover and drawers or skirt, of nainsook, ribbon run, beading and ribbon at waist; value $1.50; at.......... **$1.00**

15 Styles Combinations of mull nainsook, in cover and drawers or skirt; prettily trimmed with laces and medallions; value $2.00; at.......... **$1.50**

20 Styles Combinations of mull nainsook, in cover and drawers or skirt; value $2.50; at.......... **$2.00**

8 Styles Combinations in fine mull nainsooks, in cover and drawers or skirt; prettily trimmed; value $3.75.......... **$2.95**

Finer Combinations at $3.95 to.......... **$14.95**

Drawers

Drawers of Cambric, French band; rows of tucks and umbrella ruffle of embroidery or lawn ruffle of hemstitch tucks; value 50c; at.......... **39c**

Drawers, Nainsook or Cambric, in skirt and garter drawers, deep umbrella ruffle of embroidery or lace trimmed; others with wide hemstitch tucks and hem; value 65c; at.......... **50c**

Drawers, Nainsook or Cambric, umbrella ruffle of lawn, with Val. or linen torchon lace or tucks and ruffle of eyelet embroidery; value $1.00; at.......... **75c**

Drawers, Nainsook or Cambric, embroidery or lace ruffle, with beading and ribbons, at.......... **$1.00**

Drawers, Nainsook or Cambric, deep umbrella ruffle, lace insertions and edge, headed with beading and ribbon; others embroidery trimmed; at.......... **$1.25**

Finer Drawers $1.50 to.......... **$9.95**

Corset Covers

10 Styles of Covers in nainsook, lace and embroidery trimmed; also tight-fitting models in cambric, embroidery trimmed or H. S. tucks; worth 50c; marked at.......... **39c**

20 Styles Fine Nainsooks, trimmed with lace torchon or Val. laces, beading of ribbon, embroidery trimmed; regular 65c value; about 100 dozen, at.......... **50c**

15 Styles Fine Nainsooks, trimmed with pretty lace or neat embroidery, beading and ribbon; $1.00 value, at.......... **75c**

10 Styles Fine Mull Nainsooks, elaborated with laces, medallions, beading and ribbons, or dainty embroidery; $1.50 value, at.......... **$1.00**

Extra Size Garments

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Sheets, Pillow Cases, Towels, etc., Should Interest Everybody

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95c Table Damask—Warranted pure linen, 70 inches wide, heavy table damask, a splendid grade for hard everyday service, at yard.......... **68c**

$3 Linen Napkins—24x24 inches, one of the extraordinary values of this January sale—all-linen dinner napkins, heavy satin damask, choice designs; at, dozen, **$2.00**

$4.50 to $5.00 Linen Huck Towels Large size grass bleached, hemstitched or scalloped ends; woven damask borders; at, dozen.......... **$3.00**

$1.25 Hemmed Napkins—18x18 inches, hemmed ready for use, linen finish; a most extraordinary napkin bargain; at, dozen.......... **78c**

50c Table Damask—Snow white table damask, highly mercerized, in many handsome new designs; at, yard.......... **38c**

$1.50 Hemmed and Hemstitched Table Cloths, Irish and German manufacture, all-linen Table Cloths; various sizes; limit 3 to a customer; one of the big specials, at.......... **$1.00**

$1.50 English Long Cloth, excellent quality, yard wide, smooth chamois finish; lingerie and children's wear; 12-yard piece.......... **98c**

45c White Corduroy Pique, heavy quality, soft finish, for dresses, separate skirts, children's dresses and coats, at, yard.......... **25c**

85c Extra Quality Seamless Sheets—One of the extraordinary sheet bargains of this January White Sale; made of heavy full bleached soft finish sheeting, 81x90 inches before hemming.......... **58c**

$4.00 Bed Spreads—Best values ever offered in high grade satin finish bed spreads, extra heavy grade, in beautiful center and all over designs; large size; hemmed ends.......... **$2.50**

Fine Scotch Table Cloths

The best that Scotland produces, made in the old historic town of Dunfermline, long noted for its famous bleaching greens; their exquisite designs are the finest procurable, and their satin finish and snowy whiteness will appeal to all lovers of fine linens; six beautiful designs.

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Napkins to match; per dozen.......... **$2.85**

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Utica Sheets, 72x90 in..........	58c
Utica Sheets, 72x99 in..........	68c
Utica Sheets, 81x90 in..........	68c
Utica Sheets, 81x99 in..........	78c
Utica Sheets, 90x90 in..........	78c
Utica Sheets, 90x99 in..........	88c
Utica Pillow Cases, 42x36 in....	16c
Utica Pillow Cases, 45x36 in....	18c
Utica Pillow Cases, 50x36 in....	20c
Utica Pillow Cases, 50x38½ in..	22c
Utica Pillow Cases, 54x38½ in..	24c

$1.25 Huck Towels

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THE GARMENT WORKERS' STRIKE.

Assuredly only hard necessity and conviction of grievance could compel scores of thousands of workers to quarrel with their jobs on the eve of Winter, for which no fit provision has been made through the narrowness of their earnings above subsistence. Their employers, too, are embarrassed in the execution of their contracts for this season, and are in danger of seeing their trade drift permanently away from them, and perhaps from this city. A dispute of this sort is not one in which sides should be taken lightly. The temper of the times is all against leaving these struggles to be settled by a trial of strength. In the public interest men and women ought not to be compelled to take the minimum wage on which human beings can exist. The grades among manufacturers complicate the problem not less than the grades among the workers. The strongest firms can best afford to grant what is asked, and are the most willing to do so. But in that case, what is to become of the smaller manufacturers? Are they to be driven from the contest, with ruin for themselves and with loss of employment for their hands? Or are they to be kept in the field and allowed to undercut and compete unfairly with the better manufacturers, thus making them both less able and less willing to do what they could do if their margin of profits were not reduced?

It is a duty to keep an open mind, in readiness to support the side which is in the right, and to counsel both sides to put themselves in the right. If the strikers are right in rejecting their jobs on the ground that they are getting less than a living wage, they can bring public opinion to their support by avoiding unlawful acts and by peacefully abiding the result of the appeal which they have taken. To strike is their right. There is something in the argument that a strike is necessary to enforce attention to their demands and to strengthen the hands of that portion of the trade which is said to be willing to give what the strikers ask if all are compelled to give the same, and unfair competition is thus kept in check. It is regrettable that there is no authoritative statement of the facts by an unprejudiced body. Our law provides for intervention by the Government only on the application of both sides, and neither appears to be willing as yet in this case. In Canada there is such an investigation even against the wishes of both sides. The result is not a settlement of the dispute, but such publicity that the side which is in the wrong is brought to see the wisdom of setting itself right before the public. It was in this way that Massachusetts used to settle railway questions before the era of regulation. Apparently, unless industrial regulation is to be adopted, there is need of applying publicity to strikes in the manner of Massachusetts and Canada. The public wants the right to prevail.

A VARIED CAREER.

WILLIAM SWAIN ANDREWS, who died on Sunday, aged 71 years, was one of the most versatile men of his generation. He was a son of STEPHEN PEARL ANDREWS, who was also a man of large versatility, and more or less conspicuous in the public eye. WILLIAM S. ANDREWS was an actor of some distinction both before and after the civil war. In the company supporting EDWIN BOOTH at the old Winter Garden Theatre he acted Lancelot Gobbo, Roderigo, and Osric. A profitable theatrical career seemed open to him. But throughout the civil war he carried a musket on the Union side, and, some time after the war, having been admitted to the bar, he was elected to the New York Assembly. In later years he practiced law, served as a reporter and also as a theatrical press agent, was always in demand as a political orator, and was, for a year or so, editor of a morning newspaper, The Star. He had filled the office of Commissioner of Records since 1896.

The restless temperament traditionally associated with a jack of all trades was never observable in the manner of Mr. ANDREWS. He was always calm and unemotional. He never made much of a mark in politics, however, and that was undoubtedly the lure which impelled him to give up acting. As an actor, his amiable personality, excellent diction, and sense of humor served him well. Probably he would have gained more distinction, and suffered fewer disappointments, if he had stuck to his first calling. But he seemed to enjoy life in all its variety, and it cannot be said that his career was a failure. Yet it was not such as to encourage a young man to take many chances.

MR. HILL FOR THE CABINET.

Mr. JAMES J. HILL, the maker of great railroads and the "empire builder" of the Northwest, is being "boomed" for the Secretaryship of Agriculture. Of late years, as Mr. HILL has become disengaged from his wonderful railway and development projects, he has given his mind chiefly to the problems of making two bushels of grain grow where but one grew before. Manifestly, if he should go into the Cabinet of President WILSON on the platform of reducing the cost of living by this means, and should "make good," the coming Democratic Administration would be set down as one of the greatest in the history of our Government, and Mr. HILL would deserve more of his fellow-countrymen than all the politicians.

There is nothing impossible in this programme of the man who "thinks in continents." The farmers of the United States are the most backward of any civilized country on earth. The peasantry of Europe extract double the crops from their soil, and they do not impoverish it in the process. Their business methods are better, their credit system is easier.

Before the great agricultural and conservation congress of Minnesota last month Mr. HILL outlined his plan of relieving the hard credit conditions of the farmers in the United States. He has been looking out for the business end of their welfare, as for many years he has by word and deed urged the propaganda for the reform of farming methods. As Secretary of Agriculture, if he should be invited to take and should accept that post, his usefulness might be enhanced even beyond that of, say, forty, "Tama Jim" Wilsons.

A STATE BUILDING.

The new State Building, in which it is proposed to house nineteen or twenty local bureaus of the State Government and various commissions now occupying leased quarters in various parts of the city, would make a fitting addition to the group of public buildings in the new Civic Centre, if designed to harmonize architecturally with the new law courts, the proposed Federal building or buildings, and the new Criminal Courts which will be needed before long.

The Civic Centre may seem to unprejudiced people whose daily routine takes them in the neighborhood of the Brooklyn Bridge and the Municipal Building nothing more than a pleasant dream. To be sure the land northeast of the Hall of Records does not look now as if it could ever be converted into a neighborhood of great architectural beauty and public convenience. But, never mind; there are plans, and plans, and we are promised that some day there will be signs of performance. At present we are assured only of having the new law courts. But there is no understandable reason why the Federal Government should not have buildings for its courts and its downtown Post Office near by. That the proposed State Building will be more of a necessity than a luxury is shown by the fact that the State is already paying out $160,000 for rents in this city. The idea of a handsome and commodious State Building in the metropolis ought to appeal to the legislative imagination.

THE RIGHT TO RUN PAST SIGNALS.

The cable reports that KNOX, an engine driver on the Northeastern Railway of England, has been suspended for running past signals. He had just been put back on his run after a strike in defense of the right to get drunk in his own "time." The railway management's position was that a man who drank off duty was not a desirable employé when on duty, and this is sustained by the result. It remains to be seen what position the union will take in support of the right to run past signals at discretion, not of the management, but of the employé. In support of "personal liberty" to drink there was a strike which cost the Northeastern Railway $250,000, and the British journals estimated the aggregate loss of all trades which were embarrassed by the tying up of the Northeastern at $5,000,000. The strikers won a nominal victory, for investigation showed that KNOX had not been "drunk in law," and he was ordered reinstated. But the victory cost the strikers a week's wages for breach of their contract of employment, and it is now "up to them" to say what they are willing to pay to vindicate the right to run past signals. This is a more interesting question here than the "personal liberty" question, which was the subject of many stump speeches by the British walking delegates and the politicians in sympathy with them and hungry for the labor vote.

At this distance it seemed that the claim of the right to drink at discretion was one not suitable to be pressed in the interest of those who ride behind the engineers, who have not the right to risk the lives of others. In less polite phrase the claim of locomotive engineers to indulge at discretion is preposterous, and yet the public opinion of railway riders and unionists in this country tolerates a more dangerous fault. Our railway administrators do not venture to enforce discipline about signals. The official who precipitates a strike on that issue may or may not be sustained by his superiors. The easier way, and perhaps even as matters stand the better way, is to appeal to the unions to discipline the members whom they protect when others discipline them.

To be more specific, it has been stated publicly that one of the roads now on trial before its passengers and the Inter-State Commerce Commission for its accidents has a record of eighteen such drivers as KNOX, and has not disciplined them for fear of the union. It is not necessary to recall to readers of THE TIMES Mr. FAGAN's crusade for reform in this matter. Is it not worth more attention than it has received from the officials who have rejected his appeals before he appealed to the riding and reading public? To be specific, is not action in this respect, which would cost nothing, quite as valuable as ordering the railways to carry full crews, to install safety appliances of uncertain value and in unlimited quantities, and to do many other things at an aggregate cost of hundreds of millions of dollars which the roads are not allowed to charge rates to cover? If the Inter-State Commerce Commission is to press the railways on these points should it not also take charge of the unions? If the unions like this as little as the railways like the oversight of the Commission might not the unions do well to avoid it by taking suitable action of their own accord and in their own interest?

HOW TO CLEAR AWAY THE SNOW.

The heavy rain yesterday was serviceable to the Street Cleaning Department, as it helped to clear away much of the snow which began to fall a week ago to-day. The department's efforts to get rid of the snow were not very successful. Some time ago the Sub-Committee on Snow Removal of the Mayor's Committee on Pavements reported, after careful investigation and experiment, that a simple and easy way to remove snow in the streets was to shovel it into the sewer manholes, throwing streams of water upon it and in the manholes at the same time.

The committee worked successfully with a two-and-a-half-inch hose. If a four-inch stream could be used the work could be done more quickly. Hardened snow must be chopped up before it is thrown into the sewers, but there is hardly a snowstorm in the severest Winter which need block the streets of Manhattan if the work of clearing it away is intelligently directed. No attention seems to have been paid to the committee's report by the Street Cleaning Department, although Commissioner EDWARDS willingly lent them the services of his men to make their experiment last Winter.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Another Appeal for Ghosts. Much to the astonishment of anybody who knows how many people believe that others have seen ghosts and that a considerable minority of the believers can testify—and do, in confidential moments—to ghostly experiences of their own, only one history of this kind has been sent in to us in refutation of the recently made charge that New York is destitute of haunted houses.

To grossly materialistic minds this may seem creditable to metropolitan intelligence, but the rest of us will see in it reason for grief, real though gentle, since for a city as old and as big as this to be without ghosts, or to have only one, is almost shameful. Certainly it is humiliating.

Ghosts meet all the requirements of advanced penology, since they are at once punitive, deterrent, and reformative, as well as deeply interesting to the amiable members of the Society for Psychical Research. They also are of immense value to writers, there being hardly one literary masterpiece of the very first rank, and not so many of minor fame, that do not depend at least in part upon the existence of ghosts and the ability to believe in, if not to see, them. SHAKESPEARE couldn't have got along without them, or at any rate he didn't, which is much the same thing, and, as MAY SINCLAIR has just shown, "new thought" and mental healing, though confidence in them betrays a pleasing readiness to get away from the dull slavery of facts, give no such thrills as did the diaphanous lady or gentleman, clothed in a shroud and a grievance and carrying her head or his under her or his arm when he or she wanted to create a really good impression.

It simply can't be that all the dead New Yorkers were so glad to get away that they refuse to come back—to be "revenants," as our French friends tactfully call them. All that is necessary for the seeing of ghosts is to believe in them, and how anybody can do as much ignoring of perfectly honest testimony as disbelief requires is beyond comprehension. Are we so much wiser than our innumerable ancestors that we dare to deny what practically every one of them knew to be true? Surely one watchman for an insurance company does not "walk" alone, and surely those who know of others should not let fear of ridicule from the thoughtless restrain them from telling what they know. The reputation of New York depends on their courageous frankness.

An Honor Surely Deserved. As Col. GOETHALS is as modest as he is efficient, the probabilities are that he will be a bit disturbed by the suggestion that his name should be substituted for "Culebra" to designate the point in the Panama Canal where his genius as engineer and executive has been most brilliantly displayed. Yet the suggestion is an attractive one, and "the Goethals Gateway" would be a fine title, with the alliteration which is so attractive to everybody who has inherited or acquired the liking for initial assonances which were so pleasing to the Anglo-Saxons.

And "Culebra," though it looks pretty well, and sounds pretty well, especially when pronounced as it should be, "Koo-lay-brah," is a poor thing as to significance, since it means just "snake." The great cut through the continental backbone deserves a bigger and better name than that. "Culebras" abound in all the Spanish-speaking countries, the word having been applied to numberless places that had no distinction except that somebody had noticed in them a greater or less abundance of reptilian life.

Certainly there are few snakes, if any, in the vicinity of this particular Culebra now, for a residence less congenial to their tastes and habits could hardly be imagined. Snakes like quiet and seclusion; all they ask, besides an honestly earned living, is to be let alone, and all around the Culebra cut the very foundations of the mountains have been for years in a state of constant turmoil, accelerated by dynamite.

It will be hard, however, to make the change. Names, once applied for what seemed a good reason, have a way of sticking, and legislative enactments are often powerless to banish one that has been firmly planted. But fate would be intolerably ironical if it used the canal to immortalize the shadowy identity of PEDRO MIGUEL and refused the same honor to Col. GOETHALS!

Whoever Will May Be Graceful. One GALISCH of Rothenfelde, whoever he and wherever it may be, has achieved the fame of having printed in La Semaine Medicale and translated thence by The Medical Journal his newly invented method or recipe for reducing superfluous flesh. It is wonderfully simple and easy, and GALISCH—who ought to know—says that it meets the pragmatic requirement. In other words, it works.

No drugs are used, not even those so often and so amusingly recommended as "perfectly harmless" because they are "purely vegetable." All the follower of the GALISCH régime need do to bring down or keep down weight is to be gently abstemious at the beginning and the end of the day. Breakfast should consist of a little bread and butter and a cup of tea. At 10 o'clock an egg and a small tart are permitted. Dinner comes at 1 and consists of meat, vegetables, salad and preserves—in quantities as appetite demands, apparently. At 3 o'clock the would-be sylph must consume coffee and a cracker, or a little bread and butter, and dinner is replaced by one small tart.

This diet, it is admitted, produces slight discomfort for a few days, but it is declared that one soon gets used to it and that great reductions in weight can thus be effected without any cardiac disturbances or nervous troubles. Two pounds a week, it is asserted, can be gained, or rather lost, in this way; and, after normality has been reached, the amount of food can be cautiously increased, returning to the original rigors, however, at the first sign of the dreaded too much of flesh.

If this pleasing tale be true nobody has any excuse for being fat, and obesity becomes an aesthetic and hygienic crime.

GREELEY STATUE CARED FOR.

Waiting for Pedestal to be Finished, Not Cast Aside.

The $20,000 statue of Horace Greeley which the Chappaqua Historical Society has planned to erect in the little town park facing the farm that Greeley once owned has not been indifferently cared for or cast aside behind a barn on the estate of John I. V. Bristol, President of the Chappaqua Historical Society, according to a statement yesterday by Mr. Bristol at his office in the Metropolitan Building. The erection of the statue, he said, had only been delayed while the pedestal was being completed. Meanwhile the heroic bronze, carefully boxed up, had been transported to the estate of Mr. Bristol's son-in-law, Albert Turner, to save storage and insurance charges. It was not put in a building, Mr. Bristol stated, because of fire risk.

The society will have the statue set up, probably next June, as soon as the pedestal on which work has already been begun, is completed.

MITCHEL DENIES A REPORT.

Has No Idea of Being Appointed Chairman of Service Board.

John Purroy Mitchel, President of the Board of Aldermen, said yesterday that he was not taking very seriously the report that his appointment as Chairman of the Public Service Commission, to succeed William R. Willcox, was being considered by the powers at Albany.

"There is absolutely nothing in it," said Mr. Mitchel. "So far as I know it has never entered Mr. Sulzer's head to appoint me. The whole story is a guess, pure and simple."

President Mitchell also said that he was not going to be a candidate to succeed himself. Asked if he would take a renomination in the event of fusion between the Progressives and the Republicans or otherwise he said:

"I would not consider such a nomination from any aggregation or combination of parties or from any party," he said. "I would not have this office again."

Teachers' Absences.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

At last week's meeting of the Board of Education one of its women members suggested investigating the absences of women teachers. I wonder does Miss Leventritt know that any teacher who absents herself for illness for more than two weeks must send a physician's certificate to her school, in addition to filling out a special absence blank signed by her physician on her return, in order to receive the salary she has lost by her illness.

It is only fair for a city institution to refund the salary after an illness usually caused by poor school conditions, such as defective ventilation, contagion, or the result of overcrowded classes, which are too great a physical tax upon a teacher. A TEACHER.

New York, Dec. 28, 1912.

A Widow and Her Six.

The death of her husband and the insanity of her brother, on whose help she had depended, have recently left a woman with her own five children and her thirteen-year-old niece to bring up. She is industrious and eager for employment, but the day's work she can get to do is at best irregular and she cannot meet the rent of the home from her earnings. Her children are well brought up, and the eldest girl and her cousin help her as they can with the housekeeping and the care of the younger children. The girls are at an age when the woman's oversight and care means much to them, and it should be continued until they are older and suitable work can be found for them. The Charity Organization Society asks for $156 to be used to pay the rent during the coming year.

Gifts may be sent to the office of the society, 105 East Twenty-second Street, and will be acknowledged.

The society acknowledges with thanks the following contributions received in response to previous appeals:

H. P. Hewes, $5; Mrs. A. G. Baker, $5.25; "C. T. G.," $1; "G. B.," $1; Mrs. Henry B. Thomas, $5; Mrs. John L. Glass, $1; Anonymous, $2.

MY HOPE—1913.

There is much wrong, there is much
  right,
 Much more of right than wrong.
And though I hear the wailing cry
 I hear the louder song.

I see some truth in everything,
 Some virtue in my foe,
But when the perfect I would seek
 I know not where to go.

So still I'll go to seek and have
 The good that earth can show,
And feel that anywhere I look
 The very best may grow.

No place to me shall be too poor,
 But with an open mind
My search will bring me, so I hope,
 To where the best I'll find.

ABRAHAM GRUBER.

CARNEGIE'S FRIENDS GET PEACE GREETING

Philanthropist Sends Out in Simplified Spelling a Message for the New Year.

BAR TO INTERNATIONAL PEACE

Rulers Who Truly Long for It Mistrust Each Other Because They Do Not Know Each Other Well.

Andrew Carnegie's friends received a greeting for 1913 yesterday in the form of a peace message in Mr. Carnegie's own simple spelling. Writing under the title, "The World's Unsolved Enigma," Mr. Carnegie says:

Every ruler of men, whether Emperor, Czar, King, President, Prime Minister or Secretary of State, knows that the greatest blessing of all for his country and the world at large is International Peace. All therefore earnestly desire this, and that any one in authority desires war becomes unthinkable. This being undoutedly true our enigma is—why does not the world enjoy the Peace which those in authority so earnestly desire and unitedly can so easily acquire?

Here is the anser: While each and every ruler tells us truly that he longs for Peace, they mistrust each other because they do not know each other well. They reside apart, receiving false impressions from intermediaries and military, naval and other officials, who see the shadow of the demon war in every movement; having probably been men of war themselves in their youth they judge international questions from the standpoint of this profession. Even ambassadors to the various courts, having generally spent most of their youth surrounded by military and naval officials, inhale the atmosfere of international rivalry and suspicion, and hence are liable to dout or misconstrue the views and peaceful ambitions of other nations.

How, then, is this obstacle to be removed and rulers brot to the realization of the truth that all rulers of men are sincere in their desire for the banishment of war among civilized nations and for the settlement thru peaceful means of any disputes that may arise between them?

The anser is obvious. Let the rulers meet often, as friends desirous of drawing their people closer together, Secretaries of State especially paying reciprocal visits. Arrange frequent meetings at the different capitals of each small group of officials concerned in this problem, discard distrust and learn to trust each other, and the chief nations will soon begin to act in unison, drawing the others with them into International Peace.

The civilized world was very near to the Reign of Peace thru the proposed Arbitration Treaty between Britain, France, Germany, and America, which three of these nations had signed while the fourth stood redy to follow. Suffice it to say that the cause of failure was not irremediable, and that the end in view could and should have been acomplisht. This the future will prove because the foundation of peace and good-will still exists unimpaired between these countries and will in due course produce its inevitable result. The cause of failure is now well known and can and will be easily avoided. International Peace is not a party question in the Republic. Democratic presidents and statesmen, equally with Republicans, are its zealous champions. I venture the prediction that negotiations will soon be resumed under most favourable conditions between Britain, France, and America—Germany gladly co-operating as before.

In such holy cause there can be no such word as fail. Sooner or later the killing of men by men in battle is to be banisht from civilized lands.

CHILDREN WITH MRS. SPEYER

A Christmas Tree and a Party for 175 Little Ones She Knows.

Mrs. James Speyer gave a Christmas tree for 175 of her little boy and girl friends at her house, 257 Madison Avenue, yesterday afternoon, and the children and every one else said that it was the prettiest Christmas tree that they had ever seen. It was like all other Christmas trees only very much more so. It was very frosty and glittering.

The children were the sons and daughters of Mrs. Speyer's older friends, whom she has to meet from time to time, firemen, policemen, the chef, and the chauffeur from the Speyer's country place at Scarborough—nice girls and boys of all ages and sizes. A good many of them were there with their mothers to enjoy the fun.

There were two men who did all sorts of entertaining and amusing things at the party, but even better than that were the five little people who play with Elsie Janis in "The Lady and the Slipper," and the little ballet girl danced and the others did other things, and Miss Janis was there herself, and the children thought that was very nice, too.

The entertainers did not do all the work, for the guests were invited to come out and perform themselves, and that was really quite fine. Henry Flagler played on the piano and several of the boys recited, one of them a tragic piece in which he said: "Ye have gone; the abyss of heaven has swallowed up that form." A nice boy in curls, Edwin Noysells, the chauffeur's little boy, sang a cunning song about Jack Frost, and Susanne, who is the chef's little girl, spoke almost two pieces.

It was after Susanne had said one piece that Mrs. Speyer asked if there was not some one else who would do something more, and Susanne volunteered, and so she was put up on the table that played the part of a stage. But then Susanne's mamma thought her little girl was doing too much and she had something to say in a whisper and poor little Susanne shed tears and didn't speak her other piece after all.

There were presents for every one of the children—automobiles and dolls and skates, and the names were called out one by one. Then there was candy for everybody, big and little, and after that ice cream and cake and lemonade.

The Christmas tree is an annual treat that Mrs. Speyer has been giving the children for a number of years.

Mrs. Frederick Vanderbilt came in in the afternoon to see the tree. Mrs. C. C. Cuyler, Mrs. J. Dyneley Prince, and Mrs. Albert Clayburg were other guests.

VOICELESS SPEECH TOO LOUD

Judge Tells Miss Constable She Must Not "Talk" Again.

Miss Anna Constable, summoned to the Jefferson Market Police Court for interfering with traffic in turning the cards containing the Suffrage Voiceless Speech in a shop window at Twenty-third Street and Broadway last Saturday, appeared at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, and her case was dismissed. Judge Butts warned Miss Constable, however, that if the offense was repeated, she would be arrested.

The Voiceless Speech is a suffrage lecture on cards which the Woman's Political Union is using to advertise its Suffrage Ball of Jan. 11.

Despite the early hour a number of women were in court to give Miss Constable the support of their presence. Now they are preparing to repeat the Voiceless Speech as a protest against what they say is an unjust discrimination. They say the crowds that gather to watch their cards are not to be compared in numbers to those which gather around shop windows where demonstrations of various kinds are given for commercial purposes or gather to watch sporting returns.

Taft Guest of B'Nai B'rith.

The Jewish benevolent organization, B'Nai B'rith, will hold its seventieth anniversary in Temple Beth-El, Fifth Avenue and Seventy-sixth Street, Jan. 19 next, and, according to Charles Hartman, head of the New York division, President Taft has accepted an invitation to be present. The President of the international organization is Adolph Kraus of Chicago.

DENIES CATHOLIC'S PLEA.

Surrogate Fowler Says It Is His Duty to Safeguard "Temporal Custody."

Surrogate Fowler handed down a decision yesterday denying the petition of Thomas Lamb for letters of guardianship of his daughter, Mildred Lamb, who was born on Christmas Eve, 1900. Lamb, who is a Catholic, asked for the guardianship of his daughter on religious grounds.

The Surrogate said that while he respected the religion of the father, he was compelled to recognize the temporal rights of the child, whose mother, Carrie Cooper Lamb, died in 1903. The Surrogate appointed Florence R. Cooper, a maternal aunt of the child, who is a Baptist, sole guardian of the infant's property, a bequest of $5,000 from a distant relative of her mother, and Mrs. Clara Stone Marshall, a Catholic, of 3,120 Broadway, joint guardian of the person of the child.

Since the death of her mother Mildred Lamb has been under the care of her aunts, Miss Florence R. Cooper and Mrs. Cora R. Winship, both of whom are Baptists. When the child fell heir to $5,000 her father applied for letters of guardianship on grounds of religion.

The aunts opposed his application, stating that he had been a gambler, out of employment, and careless of his child's welfare since her mother's death. They also charged that he had dissipated in a few months a legacy of $7,000 through gambling and high living. On the other hand, the father asserted that he had changed his mode of life and had obtained steady employment. The aunts put in the affidavit of the Rev. Dr. Campbell, a Brooklyn Baptist pastor, who married the girl's parents, stating that Mr. Lamb had told him that he intended to embrace the Protestant faith. The attention of Surrogate Fowler was also called to the fact that a true Catholic was not permitted to marry a Protestant except with the permission of his Church.

In his decision Surrogate Fowler said:

"If a father of any faith, Jew or Gentile, Protestant or Catholic, states in this court that he has religious scruples, there can be no traverse of that statement here. This is a land where all forms of religion are both free and protected, and where the rights of fathers, within the law, are still recognized and enforced in proper cases.

"The question before the Surrogate is not what form of religion would be most advantageous for the child, but what are the rights of the parties to care for her estate and temporal custody. The Surrogate is the servant of the law, and he can have no right to obtrude his individual opinion on matters of faith on the parties who resort to this court for assistance in cases they are pleased to submit to the Surrogate."

WOMEN SHOULDN'T PAINT.

At Least Not on Canvas, Says Miss Harvey, an English Artist.

Although a successful woman artist, Miss Nelly Harvey, who arrived on the American liner New York yesterday, does not believe that women should indulge in painting—at least, not on canvas; the subject of facial frescoing was not discussed. Miss Harvey is an English woman; but she lives in Munich, has another studio in Madrid and paints wherever the spirit moves her.

"Strange as it may seem, although I love my art and would sooner die than not paint, I don't approve of women as artists," she said yesterday in her apartment at the Savoy Hotel. "It's too serious a science—for I consider it a science—too complicated, too many-sided for a woman. Most women lack the necessary power of concentration to grasp it.

"Of the thousands of young women who take up painting, few succeed. I know of women who have started with brilliant prospects and who never get anywhere. Few ever make a marked success. They suddenly seem to come to an end. I put it down to physical causes. They are not strong enough to keep up the struggle. In England and Germany competition is very hard with the men painters. There are shoals of women, mere amateurs who do a little fancy painting and so spoil things for the professional woman painter who takes her art seriously. If an American girl aspires to an art career, it is absolutely necessary for her to study abroad.

"I had an amusing experience in getting my belongings through the customs. My eight pieces of baggage had been duly picked to pieces, passed and stamped, but when I tried to get them by the barrier, the gateman announced the label was missing from one of the steamer trunks. It took me three-quarters of an hour to find my inspector and another fifteen minutes to unsuccessfully hunt the elusive label. Presently another inspector came up and said:

"'What is that on your back, Madam?'

"It was the missing label, stuck fast to the back of my fur cloak!"

The artist denied that she had sat down on the steamer trunk, but offered as a theory that her cloak had brushed against the wet label.

Last Summer, Miss Harvey painted a portrait of Cardinal Farley, which is now on exhibition in this city.

WARNS AGAINST SOCIALISM.

Kingsley Says It Is the Gravest Problem Wilson Will Have to Face.

Darwin P. Kingsley, President of the New York Life Insurance Company, issued a statement yesterday analyzing the last Presidential election and drawing some conclusions from its results. Mr. Kingsley regards the growth of Socialism as the gravest problem confronting the Wilson Administration. His statement said:

The significant happening was not the success of the Democratic candidate, nor the humiliation of the Grand Old Party, nor the startling vote of the Progressives. The significant thing was the Socialist vote. Right there lies the next great problem this country is to face. Because the Democratic Party does not understand that, but believes its success represents a return of the people to the historic party, the incoming Administration is likely to go wrong almost from the start.

Mr. Wilson's total vote was less than Mr. Bryan's in 1896, and thousands of Taft men voted for Wilson in order to head off Roosevelt. In reality the Democratic vote of 1912, with all its apparent results, indicates a declining faith in the governing capacity of that party. Mr. Wilson will not have anywhere near a majority of public sentiment back of him. This means a questioning, a waiting attitude on the part of the public, and that will not be Mr. Wilson's fault. The same would have been true if either Mr. Taft or Mr. Roosevelt had been successful.

The underlying issue before the country is the Socialists' attack on the right of private property. That is what real Socialism means. It has made such progress that the time is near when men will do well to forget that they have heretofore been either Republicans or Democrats. The right of private property is not a sacred doctrine. The great majority of industrial workers will stand for it against socialism if they are treated fairly; otherwise they will act with the Socialists.

The actual Socialists of to-day—the political Socialists, the destructive Socialists, the sentimentalists who are not really Socialists but social reformers, the honest workingman who believes he is not fairly compensated, that his hours are too long and the expense of living too high—all these make a more or less homogeneous body whose demands are likely to trouble Mr. Wilson and the country in the near future—possibly in the current year.

Mr. Kingsley's statement as to the vote was in line with the claim made by the Socialists at the Collegiate Socialist Convention last week that they made the Roosevelt movement possible and were responsible for the 4,500,000 Bull Moose votes at the November election.

SULZER SEEKING A LAWYER.

No One Anxious to be Legal Adviser at $5,000 a Year.

Governor-elect William Sulzer is having trouble in finding a legal adviser to serve during his administration. Mr. Sulzer wants a prominent lawyer for the position, but as it pays only $5,000 a year there has not been a rush of the kind of applicants he desires. The position is an important one in the State administration, and it is about the only one the Governor-elect is having trouble with.

Among those who have been asked to serve, but who have declined, are Clarence J. Shearn, John De Witt Warner, William Church Osborn, and Abraham Benedict, the latter of the firm of Guggenheimer, Untermyer & Marshall.

UNTERMYER WANTS BANK LOAN DETAILS

Pujo Committee Counsel Asks Controller to Disclose List of Borrowers and Securities.

ACTS UNDER TAFT RULING

Also Wants to Know Banks' Relations with Trust Companies—Only Needs Data of Large Institutions.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the Pujo committee, which has been investigating the alleged concentration of money and credits with a view to legislation, has called upon the Controller of the Currency for important information regarding the stock ownership and loan operations of a number of the larger National banks of the country.

The request for this material has been made since the adjournment of Congress and in response to the letter written by President Taft on Dec. 17, transmitting to Mr. Untermyer a copy of the opinion by Attorney General Wickersham, which informed the President that he was not required by law to authorize that the Pujo committee have access to any information from the files of the Controller, but that the latter might furnish such information in his discretion.

The effect of Mr. Taft's refusal to allow the Controller, or National Bank Examiners to obtain from the banks certain information, which Mr. Untermyer wanted for the use of the committee, and which could not otherwise be obtained, was to limit Mr. Untermyer's request for data to what was on file in the Controller's office. Hence, immediately after he received the President's letter, Mr. Untermyer wrote to the Controller seeking National bank data, which he had reason to believe came within the limits of what the President would permit the Controller to disclose. It is understood that the desired information includes data concerning the identity of stockholders, loans, and the relation of National banks to certain large trust companies, namely:

First—A list of the stockholders in the larger National banks in the more important reserve centres.

Second—A list of the large loans by such National banks, with the names of the borrowers and the security behind them.

Third—Information relative to the control of National bank stock by trust companies.

It is not understood that Mr. Untermyer asks for the names of the stockholders of all the National banks of the country. There were 7,420 such banks which responded to the November call of the Controller, and the preparation of a list of all their Directors would be almost interminable and probably could not be completed in time for the purposes of the Pujo Committee, which must complete its investigation before the adjournment of the present Congress on March 4. Nor would such a list of Directors serve the purpose of Mr. Untermyer, who limits his request for this particular information to large banks in not more than half a dozen principal reserve centres and asks only for the names of the stockholders who own more than a given number of shares of stock.

The same is true of the request of Mr. Untermyer for a list of the large loans of National banks. For the purposes of the Pujo Committee a list of loans below a certain amount is not desired, and, in all probability the loans concerning which Mr. Untermyer seeks information will be almost entirely those to the larger banks whose stockholders' names have been sought by him from the Controller. The leading National bank reserve cities are New York, Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia, St. Louis, and San Francisco.

TO ESCORT FUNERAL SHIP.

Battleships Sail To-morrow to Meet Late Ambassador Reid's Body.

The United States battleships Florida and North Dakota, under command of Rear Admiral Fiske, who will fly his flag on the Florida, will leave Tompkinsville at 9 A. M. to-morrow and proceed to sea to meet the British cruiser Natal, which is bringing the body of the late Ambassador Whitelaw Reid, and escort her to New York. It is expected that the Natal will be off Nantucket Lightship sometime on Thursday and arrive here either late that day or early on Friday. The Natal has a speed of 23 knots, but it is expected that she will not be driven at full speed on her voyage across, and will probably average about 16 knots in the heavy weather prevailing on the Atlantic.

According to the arrangements, the funeral will take place on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine.

A meeting of representatives of the newspapers of New York City was held yesterday at the offices of the Staats Zeitung and these resolutions were adopted on Mr. Reid's death:

Resolved, That the press of New York City, by this committee of its representatives, desires to pay its tribute of respect to the memory of Whitelaw Reid, and to express its sense of the loss and the sorrow which his death brings to the men of the newspaper calling of which he was during so many years of his life an active and distinguished member.

In every task which engaged his mind, from the beginning of his career, through the years of his editorship and control of a great newspaper, and in the high posts of the public service to which he was called, and where he won such distinction, Whitelaw Reid displayed abilities which commanded the respect of his fellow-men, and qualities of mind and heart that won their esteem. Candidate of his party for the Vice Presidency, Minister to France, Peace Commissioner of the United States in the negotiation of the treaty of Paris, twice sent upon a special mission to Great Britain, Ambassador at the Court of St. James, his was a life full of honors—and to every summons he responded with faithful devotion and always with full measure of achievement.

Resolved, That we desire to convey to the family of Mr. Reid the expression of our profound sympathy in their bereavement.

Resolved, That a representative of the newspapers of New York City attend the funeral ceremony on Jan. 4.

A committee of thirty members was appointed to represent the New York newspapers at the funeral.

PREACHERS ARE AROUSED.

Want Chicago Saloons Closed at Legal Hour on New Year's Morning.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—A delegation of more than 100 persons, including many clergymen, visited the City Hall to-day to ask Mayor Harrison to see that the saloons are not allowed to remain open for business after 1 o'clock on the morning of Jan. 1 next. By law the saloons should close at that hour. The delegation marched through the streets from the First Methodist Church to the Municipal Building and assembled in the ante-chamber of the Mayor's office. A secretary told the leaders of the delegation that Mayor Harrison was not receiving callers to-day.

There was some hissing. Cries of "Harrison" were heard, but Arthur Farwell, President of the Chicago Law and Order League, called for silence.

Persons interested have been told that on the morning of Jan. 1 the saloons may remain open until 3 o'clock. The delegation which failed to have an audience with Mayor Harrison is to take the matter up with Chief of Police McWeeny in an endeavor to get him to change this ruling.

BERNARD AT HIS BEST IN 'ALL FOR LADIES'

Blossom's Adaptation of French Farce Provides Him with Fine Chance for Fun.

GORGEOUS GOWN DISPLAY

Wherefore All the Ladies Promise to be Pleased with This New Farce at the Lyric.

ALL FOR THE LADIES, farce, with music by Henry Blossom, the score by Alfred G. Robyn. Lyric Theatre.

Marie	Louise Meyers
Alphonse Clemente	George A. Schiller
Georgette Clemente	Alice Gentle
Ernest Panturel	Teddy Webb
Nancy Panturel	Adele Ritchie
Charles	Max d'Arcy
Hector Renaud	Stewart Baird
Leon von Laubenheim	Sam Bernard
Mme. Suzette, Leo's assistant	Margery Pearson
Finette	Lillie Leslie
Blanche	Marta Spears
Augusta	Maxie MacDonald
Baroness des Herbettes	Amy Leicester
Marquis de Calvados	Edna Caruthers
Gen. Villefranche	Jerome Uhl
Gaston Le Blanc	Arthur Webner
Grand Duchess Alexia of Russia	Lena Robinson
Francois, a valet	Henry Hoit

It's "permissible" to mention at the very beginning that Mr. Samuel Sufficiency Bernard in "All for the Ladies" has a rôle which permits him to do quite as much damage to the English language as is his wont. It is Mr. Henry Blossom of New York, with the kind permission of the late M. Hennequin of Paris, who feeds Mr. Bernard with these words, apparently pouring them into his mouth very much as the old-time clowns used to pour the pet doggies and kitties into the sausage machine. And it is in the passage through Mr. Bernard's machinery—whatever that may be—that this otherwise intelligible tongue of ours becomes a mangled mass, almost as foreign, in fact, as the irregular verbs of that dear, delightful language of the aforesaid M. Hennequin.

All of which is by way of verbal preparation for the simple statement of fact that in this very amusingly adapted farce with music Mr. Bernard is as funny as he ever was, (which is decidedly funny, you may be sure,) if not funnier. And that with past achievements in mind seems almost impossible. Still, with the right kind of material to work on "it's permissible," a phrase, by the way, which has come now to fill in the place of the rather overworked "sufficiency" of blessed memory.

It is as a fashionable ladies' tailor that Mr. Bernard makes his appearance in the new piece, with a motto, "Don't leave it undone—keep it unknown," which he tries to live up to to the best of his rather remarkable ability. And by flirting with everybody in sight, including the wives of his two employers, he succeeds ultimately not only in making business for the firm, but in bringing himself into a variety of complications, from which he is only to be extricated finally through the quick-witted assistance of a pretty typewriter person, herself looking for a husband.

All of which—the plot, be it understood—is of small importance beside the fact that Mr. Bernard is much on the scene and that when he is there things move merrily along. And when he is not on the scene there will be for many the solace of beauty adorned, or more or less unadorned, as the case may be.

It is apparent that for the most part there has been an effort to gladden the eye with raiment such as Solomon's wives in all their glory probably never dreamed of possessing, and if only for its sartorial display, "All for the Ladies" will be a treat for all ladies, the point of extreme interest coming in a scene in the fitting parlors, where, to music which befits the mood of the gowns displayed, a dozen or more lovely models display themselves and their frocks on a miniature stage to an accompaniment of wholly justifiable gasps from the feminine contingent.

So much being said, it remains to be mentioned that Mr. Robyn's music, though pleasant enough, has no distinctive qualities and seems especially lacking in those qualities which spell popularity.

Of the supporting cast Miss Alice Gentle sings by far the best and seems far less conscious of her audience than Miss Adele Richie, who brings the vaudeville method with her. Miss Louise Meyers has grace and charm, and Miss Margery Pearson a distinctive personality that suggests possibilities once a better opportunity is provided her. In the acting of Stewart Baird a possible tragedy is suggested if by chance his trousers pockets should be sewn up some night so that he could not find a place for his hands. It might be suggested to him, too, that there are other uses for tables than posing and that chairs are intended to be sat upon.

The others really do not matter much, but Mr. George Schiller's overemphasis might be toned down with advantage. Perhaps it was due to nervousness. And Mr. Bernard, himself, was guilty of far too many acrobatics last night in the desire to "get it over." He is too funny a man to require this sort of exaggeration for his effects.

But on the whole "All for the Ladies" is mighty good fun.

'TRISTAN UND ISOLDE' GIVEN.

A Substitution for "Otello" at the Opera, in which Mme. Gadski Appears.

Tristan	Carl Burrian
Konig Marke	Putnam Griswold
Isolde	Johanna Gadski
Kurwenal	Hermann Weil
Melot	William Hinshaw
Brangaene	Louise Homer
Ein Hirt	Albert Reiss
Der Steuermann	Julius Bayer
Stimme des Seemanns	Lambert Murphy

Conductor, Arturo Toscanini.

The vicissitudes of the New York climate were responsible for the unexpected performance of "Tristan und Isolde" last evening at the Metropolitan Opera House, when it was given for the first time this season. It had already been postponed once last week on account of the illness of Mr. Toscanini. The "Otello" that was announced for last evening had to be postponed on account of the illness of Mr. Slezak, and "Tristan" was put in its place—a curious mixture of German and Italian works and their interpreters. Instead of Mme. Fremstadt, however, who was expected to be the Isolde last week, the drama was given with Mme. Gadski's interpretation of the heroine, and instead of Mme. Matzenauer as Brangaene, with Mme. Homer in that part.

Mr. Toscanini conducted, and, as it seemed, produced a performance of a equality more marvelous, in all that he could control, than ever before. The orchestral portion of the work was of supreme beauty, of pulsing dramatic intensity, and poignancy, euphonious and richly colored in tone, of which all its instrumental components were subtly and perfectly balanced. His return to New York could bring no greater boon than his conducting of this score, which is one of his very highest achievements.

Mme. Gadski's Isolde has often been admired. It has much that compels admiration, and last evening apparently, in its dramatic conception, it showed again in significant detail, in force and power. Her singing of the music has always had beautiful qualities and they were again in evidence last evening. Mme. Homer sang with unusual beauty the music of Brangaene.

Mr. Burrian gave a new impression of his fine skill as an actor in his delineation of the hero—a delineation that shows many resources of tragic power and passion, and lacks only a more imposing personal presence. His singing had much to commend last evening in vocal beauty and in expressive declamation.

Mr. Griswold's abilities as singer and actor were admirably employed in the part of King Marke. Mr. Weil's Kurwenal has intelligence, but it cannot be called one of the most excellent impersonations that have been heard here in recent seasons. The performance, as a whole, had so many fine qualities that it made a deep impression upon lovers of Wagner's tragedy.

SOCIAL NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carnegie Phipps of 1,058 Fifth Avenue gave a small dinner, with music, last night, for Miss Violet Asquith and the Countess of Aberdeen, who are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Phipps until they go to Washington, D. C., on Thursday to visit Ambassador and Mrs. Bryce. Francis Rogers, baritone, sang, accompanied by Bruno Huhn. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Choate, Miss Annie Leary, Mr. and Mrs. I. Townsend Burden, and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doubleday Page are sailing for Egypt on Jan. 6.

Mrs. Edward Leaming of 75 East Eighty-first Street will introduce her daughter, Miss Helen Rosebrugh Leaming, at a reception to be given on Saturday from 4 to 7, at 375 West End Avenue.

The Premier and Mrs. R. L. Borden of Ottawa, Canada, are spending a few days at the Belmont.

Mrs. George Albert Mohlman of 31 West Twelfth Street is giving a tea on Saturday for Miss Virginia Case, whose engagement to Raymond Havemeyer was recently announced.

Mrs. Irwin A. Powell will give a small dance to-night at her home, 10 East Ninety-sixth Street.

Mrs. George Austin Morrison, Jr., will be at home on Tuesdays in January at 151 Central Park West.

Mrs. N. Wyckoff Vanderhoef of 76 East Fifty-sixth Street gave a dance last evening at the Assembly Rooms, 4 West Fortieth Street, for her young daughter, Miss Marion Vanderhoef. There were about a hundred young people present, and supper was served at midnight.

Mrs. Paul A. Sorg is giving a dance at the Plaza on Friday evening.

President Arthur T. Hadley of Yale and Mrs. Hadley are at the Hotel Manhattan for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bird, who are at the Hotel Gotham for the Winter, have gone to Shelbourne Farms, Vt., to visit Dr. and Mrs. W. Seward Webb.

Mrs. Robert Olyphant will be at home on Saturday at 79 West Fifty-fifth Street from 4 to 7 o'clock, and also on Mondays in January and February.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel C. Sands have closed their country place at Valhalla, N. Y., and are at the Belmont for the Winter. Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Sands, Jr., of Middleburg, Va., are spending the holidays with them.

Frederick Townsend Martin gave a tea and dance at Sherry's yesterday afternoon for his two nephews, Townsend Martin and Julian Townsend Davies, both home from school for the holidays. Among the guests were Mrs. George J. Gould, Mrs. James A. Burden, Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Mrs. Cornelius Cuyler, and Mrs. Francis Burrall Hoffman. Miss Marie Dressler was one of the guests and entertained with songs and recitations while tea was being served.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Simon gave a dance last night at the St. Regis for their debutante daughter, Miss Helen Simon.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Mott Warner will close their cottage at Rye and come to town about Jan. 12 to spend the rest of the Winter at the Ritz-Carlton.

SOCIETY WOMEN HOSTESSES.

Mrs. Trevor, Mrs. De Koven, Mrs. Carroll, and Mrs. Burton Entertain.

There were several large society dinners and dances last night.

Mrs. Henry Graff Trevor gave a dance at her residence for her débutante daughter, Miss Margaret Trevor, which was preceded by several dinners, including one given by Mrs. Hamilton Fish for her stepdaughter, Miss Helena Fish. About 250 guests were asked. Mrs. Trevor, in white, and the débutante in pale blue tulle trimmed with pink roses, received. The house was decorated with Christmas greens. A supper was served at midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald de Koven gave a reception with music last night at their new home, 1,025 Park Avenue. The affair was in the nature of a housewarming, and the guests were invited for 10:30, many of them coming later from the opera. The artists who appeared in the musical programme were Mme. Sembrich, John McCormack, and Ernest Schilling. The new house, which is built after the Tudor style, is furnished largely with wood carvings, rugs, tapestries and paintings, which the host and hostess spent many years in collecting abroad. The musical programme was given in the large oak gallery on the second floor. A buffet supper was served in the dining hall on the first floor after midnight.

Mrs. Arthur Carroll gave a small dinner dance last night at her residence, 64 East Seventy-seventh Street, for her sister-in-law, Miss Caramai Carroll. The guests at dinner included, besides the host and hostess and Miss Carroll, the Misses Gertrude Hamilton, Elizabeth Thompson, Caroline Wyeth, Elise Francke, and Angier Duke, Burton Plumb, Sumner Wells, Lauren Carroll, and Charles Requa. About fifty additional guests were invited for the dancing afterward. The house was decorated with holly and smilax.

Mrs. Frank V. Burton gave a dinner and theatre party last night, followed by a dance, for her son, Frank V. Burton, Jr., who is home from Harvard for the holidays. After the play the guests went to Sherry's, where a supper was served at 11:30, after which there was dancing in the small ballroom, many additional guests coming in for it. Those at the dinner were the Misses Ursula Brown, Gwendolin Condon, Evelyn Brown, Genevieve Sanford, Mercedes de Acosta, Vouletti Proctor, Catharine Burton, and Schuyler Parsons, Rex Whitman, J. Stewart Pettit, Edmund Twining, Jr., Richard Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Wing, and Van Duzer Burton.

Maurice Dances at Hammerstein's.

Maurice, the dancer, and his partner, Florence Walton, appeared as a new act at Hammerstein's yesterday. They were seen in three dances—"The Maurice Waltz," the "Broadway Glide," and the "Turkey Trot." In the hands of this pair it appeared that after all the latter dance may have some beauty and grace, although their version of it was a distinctly idealized, almost etherealized, one. Lillian Lorraine and Ching Ling Foo were again retained for the bill, and other acts were George Rolland and company in "Fixing the Furnace," McKay and Cantwell, Ward and Curran, the Exposition Four, Martinetti and Sylvester, Morgan Baily and the Rathskeller Trio, Brent Hayes, and Georget and Jacques.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

John Philip Sousa's new musical play was put into rehearsal yesterday by John Cort, under the direction of George Marion, with the following cast: Edna Showalter, Dorothy Maynard, Ethel Gordon, Louise Forda, John Parks, Gilbert Gregory, Charles Brown, Edward Wade, George O'Donnell, and Tony Nash.

Hiram Maxim, inventor of the Maxim silencer, has promised the producers of "Alibi Bill" that he will give them for use in the play to-night the first silencer ever adapted to use on a revolver.

Officials of the National Federation of Theatre Clubs will give a dinner to-night to members of the cast that produced "His Wife by His Side" at the Berkeley Theatre last night.

The Shuberts announce that "The Red Petticoat" will next Saturday night end its run at the Broadway Theatre, to which it was transferred after a run at Daly's.

"Turandot," the fanciful Chinese play, will be given its premier to-night at the Hyperion Theatre, New Haven. It will be seen in New York Saturday afternoon at Maxine Elliott's Theatre.

Arthur Hammerstein signed a contract yesterday with Audrey Maple, now appearing in "The Firefly" at the Casino, whereby she remains under his management for five years.

Percy Burton, general manager for Forbes-Robertson, announces that the English actor will make his farewell appearance at the Drury Lane Theatre, London, under his own management about Easter time. He will return to America next Autumn to make his farewell tour here.

Rehearsals of "The Silver Wedding," the folk-play by Edward Locke, which H. H. Frazee is producing, began yesterday under the direction of the author.

The one hundredth performance of "The Lady of the Slipper" will be given at the Globe Theatre to-night.

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'DRONE' MOSTLY IRISH WITH DASH OF SCOTCH

But the Dreamy Inventor Belongs to All Lands, Though This One Appeals.

MORE COLOR THAN PLAY

An Attractive Figure Provided by Whitford Kane in Latest Importation at Daly's.

THE DRONE. A comedy in three acts. By RUTHERFORD MAYNE. Daly's Theatre.

John Murray	Robert Forsyth
Daniel Murray	Whitford Kane
Mary Murray	Margaret Moffat
Andrew McMinn	Joseph Campbell
Sarah McMinn	Margaret O'Gorman
Donald Mackenzie	Alec F. Thompson
Sam Brown	Stanley Gresley
Kate	Nellie Wheeler
Alick McCreedy	John Campbell

The idle inventor is no new type on the stage, whether he be of Yankee land or the land of bogs and brogue. That is one reason, perhaps, why Daniel Murray of the County Down, in Ireland, is so much like all the rest. But, old or new, the impractical dreamer is almost always an appealing figure. And at Daly's yesterday afternoon Daniel had quickly won most hearts. And most persons felt as friendly to him as did his own brother, John, who had been maintaining him for many years.

For John was sure that brother Daniel had a "great head on him," and John's faith, as it happened, didn't go to waste. For, though the inventor's fan-bellows was not the least bit new, not the least bit useful, it was his good fortune to hit upon the way out of a difficulty for his brother. This was when John repented of his haste in asking the shrewish Sarah McMinn to marry him. For he had learned that it would mean the loss of Daniel's companionship, and, worse, perhaps the departure of his daughter Mary from the household.

Quick as a flash, then, the artful Sarah was down on him with a breach of promise suit for a thousand pounds, and it looked as though she must win her case. Whereupon, at this critical juncture, the drone, Daniel, suddenly discovered a way out of the trouble. For after much plotting and planning Mary had got one of her suitors to proclaim the bellows as a great invention, and the mercenary Sarah's brother was induced to accept the patent rights in lieu of possible damages in the breach of promise suit. So, then, Mary was able to tell the Scotchman "go hang," while she attached herself to an Irish lad "ready to eat all the cakes of her baking, no matter what the consequences."

It is rather a queer attempt at playmaking, with a lot more dialogue than action and a considerable attention to details which do not amount to much. But there is an appeal to the character of Daniel and a charm about the devotion of the two brothers that is rather heartwarming. The little play has color, too, of the sort that may generally be found in these studies in a genre which the tremendous success of Bunty seems to have inspired. But it is thin, and there is something too much of it, so that the net result is rather tedious.

Rutherford Mayne, the author of the piece, who acted the part of John when "The Drone" was done at The Royalty in London, does not appear in this cast, but Robert Forsyth is an agreeable substitute. The original actor of the inventor, Whitford Kane, does appear, however, and makes the figure most attractive. He plays naturally and easily and with a suggestive wholesomeness that is thoroughly pleasing.

The others serve well enough, though there is no great distinction to any of them.

WEEK'S BILLS AT THEATRES.

B. F. Keith's New Year's offering at the Colonial Theatre has as its principal feature Mme. Olga Petrova in "Comedy and Tragedy." George Behan and company present "At the Sign of the Rose," and others are Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Crane in a new farce, "The Other One"; Laura Guerite and Arthur Conrad, Mack and Orth presenting "The Wrong Hero," John Geiger with "the violin that talks," Crouch and Welch in a dancing specialty, Emerson and Baldwin in comedy juggling, Ward and Weber in "A Minstrel Boy's Conception of Art," Sprague and McNeece, and Bartholdi's birds.

Zelda Sears, late star of "The Nest Egg," heads the bill at Keith & Proctor's Alhambra for the week in "The Wardrobe Woman." Tom Terriss and his English players offer a tabloid version of Dickens's Christmas Carol called "Scrooge." Others on the bill are Pat Rooney and Marion Bent in "At the News Stand," Joe Jackson, Herman Timberg in songs and dances, Conlin, Steele, and Carr in "Follies of Vaudeville," Norton and Nicholson, the Palace Quartet, Alexander and Scott in "From Virginia," Polzin brothers, Visions d'Art, and the Balton Troupe of acrobats.

New Year's week brings Grace La Rue and company as headliners to B. F. Keith's Bronx Theatre in Hassard Short's novelty sketch, "The Record Breaker." The remainder of the bill includes James and Bonnie Thornton in a duologue and songs, Rose Pitonoff in a swimming and diving exhibition, W. L. Abington and company in "Honor Is Satisfied," the handwriting dog Dick, Marshall Montgomery, Madge Maitland in a song repertoire, Cooper and Robinson, and Lamb's Mannikins.

At Proctor's Fifth Avenue Florence Roberts has the honor position on the bill in the one-act play by J. Hartley Manners called "A Woman Intervenes." Another feature act is that of Little Lord Robert, a singer and dancer 24 years old who weighs fifteen pounds. Gertrude Vanderbilt and George Moore are seen in songs and dances, and the bill also includes Ed. F. Reynard in a ventriloquial sketch, Techow's cats, Bogart and Nelson in "A Day with a Minstrel Show," Olive Briscoe, the Four Rianos, and Roehlm's Athletic Girls.

At Proctor's Twenty-third Street Theatre the bill for the first half of the week is headed by William H. Turner and company in "Dad and Mother." Other acts are George Homans, "The Naked Truth," Florence Sisters and Brother, the Montgomery Duo, Audrey and Flower, Zeda and Hoat, and photo plays.

At Proctor's 125th Street Theatre "After the Hunt," a musical novelty, is the leading feature of the bill. Others are Countess Leontine and company, Etta Bryan and company, the Hawthorn Minstrels, Allen and Peters, Nina Payne and company, Herbery and Dennis, and photo plays.

"Mother Goose" heads the bill for the week at Proctor's Fifty-eighth Street Theatre. Others who appear are the Three Clarks, Burt and Smith, the Swain Ostman Trio, Haggerty and McClain, Brown and Brown, and photo plays.

The Star and Garter Show is at the Columbia Theatre presenting a new two-act burlesque, "The Flirting Widow." The company is headed by Eloise Matthews, and others of its members are Jack Conway, Lee Barth, James J. Collins, Ray Montgomery, Marion Blake, and the Healy sisters.

At the American Theatre the following acts are seen for the first half of the week: Claude Rauf, Jenkins and Covert, Chappell, Malone and Converst, Big Jim, Anderson and Goines, "The Trainer," Josephine Davis and Geller, and the Three Friels.

Al Reeves and his "Big Beauty Show" is the attraction for the week at the Murray Hill Theatre. Hurtig & Seamon's 125th Street Theatre has James E. Cooper and his "Youth and Folly" company, which will present "The Blue Rose."

"The Girls from Missouri" is the attraction for the week at Miner's People's Theatre. Miner's Bronx house has Billy Watson and the "Beef Trust Beauties." At Miner's Eighth Avenue Barney Gerard appears with "The Follies of the Day," and the Olympic Theatre has Max Spiegel's "College Girls."

In Brooklyn John Drew appears in "The Perplexed Husband" at the Montauk. "The Merry Countess" is the attraction at the Majestic. The Crescent Theatre stock company presents "When We Were Twenty-one."

At the Orpheum Theatre in Brooklyn Thomas A. Wise appears in a condensed version of "The Gentleman from Mississippi." Maggie Cline and Odiva are also on the bill. Other acts are "More Sinned Against Than Usual," Ma-Belle and her Sylvan Ballet, Fred Watson and Rena Santos, Joe Whitehead, La Tosca company, and the Four Entertainers.

The Bushwick Theatre has Kathryn Kidder in the rôle of Mme. Sans-Gene in "The Washerwoman Queen." May Tully presents "The Battle Cry of Freedom," and Eddie Leonard appears with Mabel Russell in songs. Others are "The Lawn Party," Conroy and Lemaire, Ray Fenton and her Yankee Lads, Fred Duprez, Ella Bradna and Fred Derrick, and Blanche Sloan.

"EVA" HAS ONE CHARM.

Its Pretty and Familiar Waltz—Sallie Fisher Is Miscast.

EVA, a musical play in three acts, by Glen MacDonough, from the German of Willner and Bodansky, with music by Franz Lehar. New Amsterdam Theatre.

Larousse	T. J. McGrane
Antoine	Wallace McCutcheon, Jr.
Voisin	John Daly Murphy
Dagobert Millefleurs	Walter Lawrence
Pipsi Paquerette	Alma Francis
Eva	Sallie Fisher
Octave Flaubert	Walter Percival
Ellie	Marie Ashton
Lisette	Marie Vernon
Freddie	Alden MacClaskie
Edmond	William T. Ford
Hortense	Frances Melvon
Matthew	John Gibson
Maid	Florence Fillmore
Yvonne	Edna Broderick

Nowadays when one goes to hear a Viennese operetta one is certain to recognize the tunes in the same manner that the Western theatregoer found "Hamlet" full of quotations. So pretty nearly everybody at the New Amsterdam Theatre last evening, at the first performance of Franz Lehar's operetta "Eva," began humming the waltz when it first made its appearance. For the waltz in "Eva" has been played in New York restaurants and cabarets for some time. It has deserved the distinction because it is a very pretty waltz, and it comes near to summing up the charm of this operetta.

The rest of the music, with a few exceptions, is not up to the Lehar standard. There is a very striking quartet in the first act, "Joy and Glass," in canonical form, with capital orchestration, and an ensemble number in the second act is excellent, but as a whole the music is not remarkable. In the more dramatic music Lehar has shown that he knows that time is advancing, even in operetta. Eva says "Yes" in the first act to discords that Schoenberg might have been proud to have written.

The librettists, however, seem to have forgotten that times are not what they once were.

The plot is simple. Briefly, Eva is an apprentice in a glass factory. Her employer, Octave, falls in love with her. He introduces her into a gay party, where she is found by her father, who brings the angry workmen from the factory to break down the gate and demand her return. Octave thereupon announces that he will marry her. It is a trick to drive them away. When Eva learns this she also leaves. Then she goes to Paris and becomes a milliner's assistant. Five months later Octave finds her and they sing the waltz for the—it is hard to remember the exact number of times.

Sallie Fisher was miscast as Eva, and she can hardly be credited with living up to its possibilities, dramatically or vocally. To Wallace McCutcheon, Jr., Walter Lawrence, Alma Francis, and John Daly Murphy much of what success the operetta achieves will be due. Mr. Murphy, to whom was intrusted what comedy the operetta contains, was capital. Mr. McCutcheon and Miss Francis did a Tango together, and Mr. Lawrencee and Miss Francis made a good deal of a quarrel song. Marie Ashton's blonde beauty was an important factor in the doings of the evening.

"CHEER UP" A LITTLE MISTY.

Mary R. Rinehart's Comedy Has Material to Fit Three Styles of Plays.

CHEER UP, a farce-comedy in three acts, by Mary Roberts Rinehart. Harris Theatre.

Minnie Waters	Frances Nordstrom
Mike	William Vaughn
Senator Biggs	Billy Betts
Mr. Moody	George Le Soir
The Bishop	William Evilla
Jane Brooks	Sybilla Pope
Mr. Brooks	Eric Blind
San Van Alstyne	Harold Salter
Billy French	Alan Brooks
Robert Thoburn	Sedley Brown, Jr.
Alan Pierce	Walter Hampden
Doc. Barnes	Royal Byron
Dickie Carter	Effingham Pinto
Dorothy Carter	Fayette Perry
Mrs. Biggs	Amy Veness
Miss Cobb	Selma Maynard
Julia Summers	Lotta Linthicum
Messenger	Charles Buckley

The programme last night at the Harris Theatre described "Cheer Up," Mary Robert Rinehart's new dramatic production, as "an optimistic comedy in two clouds and a silver lining." No one in the audience could dispute it, for though there were not absent good lines, amusing situations and touches of characterization, it was not always clear whether the offering was to be taken as pure farce, or comedy, or the convenient combination for playwrights in doubt that is called farce-comedy. There was material exhibited to fit any of the three designations.

The story told of the efforts of an impostor to run a sanitarium for neurasthenics, to oblige the real heir to the institution, who couldn't make himself known because there was an actress snowed in with all of them who had sued him for breach of promise, and he didn't care about his bride of a day knowing about it. Walter Hampden brought his ability to bear on the part of the impostor, while Effingham Pinto was the real heir.

Alan Brooks's part of a dipsomaniac, or something like that, proved to be the most sharply drawn of the lot, and he was well received in his rendition of it. Frances Nordstrom was much in evidence as a spring maid, and Lotta Linthicum had very little to do as the designing actress, but did it well. Sybilla Pope and Fayette Perry were two purveyors of a "love interest" for the piece, and Royal Byron had a few lines as a supposed resident physician for the institution.

GIVES FREE PROGRAMMES.

Arthur Hammerstein Makes Distribution at "The Firefly" at Casino.

Arthur Hammerstein, at the Casino Theatre last night, where he brought his production of "The Firefly," with Emma Trentini, had specially printed programmes distributed free of charge among the audience. The Casino is one of the Shubert theatres, where it is customary to sell programmes, although there are free ones obtainable. Last night a boy with the Hammerstein free programmes was placed next to one with the pay programmes.

The new bills were in the form of a single sheet of Bristol board, and on them was an inscription saying that they were presented free of charge by courtesy of Arthur Hammerstein.

As there is a firm which has the concession of providing the Shubert theatre programme, it is expected that last night's action on Mr. Hammerstein's part may bring about a controversy on the subject.

"His Wife by His Side" Acted.

"His Wife by His Side," a three-act comedy by Ethelyn Emery Keays, was presented under the auspices of the National Federation of Theatre Clubs by Sydney Rosenfeld at the Berkeley Theatre last night. The story is one of domestic differences attendant upon the jealousies of a "clinging vine" wife, but Miss Keays's play, though developed from an old theme, was unmistakably a pleasing one to the audience. The cast was: Crystal Duncan, a secretary and trained nurse at Dr. Burroughs's, Elsie Esmond; Edward, a butler, George Marsh; Robert Burroughs, M. D., a New York physician, Franklyn Ritchie; Gertrude, his wife, Nanette Comstock; Sam Stackpool, a bachelor friend of Dr. Burroughs's bachelor days, Robert Drouet; Gen. Bannister Haines, Gertrude's father, Frank Weston; Dr. Duncan, Crystal's father, George W. Barnum, and Delia, housemaid, Leona Ball.

Admiral P. H. Cooper.

Rear Admiral Philip Henry Cooper, U. S. N., retired, who was a former Commander in Chief of the United States Atlantic Fleet, and also a former Superintendent of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, died on Sunday at his home, in Morristown, N. J.

Admiral Cooper, who was in his sixty-ninth year, was a native of this State, from which he was appointed a midshipman at Annapolis in 1860. After three years' study he was appointed an Ensign under Farragut, and participated in the battle of Mobile bay.

After his promotion to Captain in 1894 he was Superintendent of the Naval Academy, remaining there until 1898, when he took command of the cruiser Chicago in the Spanish war. In 1903 he was made Rear Admiral and assigned to command the Asiatic Fleet.

In August, 1904, Admiral Cooper was retired from active service, and since that time had made his home in Morristown, and became active in civic affairs there.

DO NOT TAKE THE "JUST AS GOODS." Red Cross Cough Drops—the real thing, 5c. —Adv.

SUFFRAGE ACT IN VAUDEVILLE

With Singing Judge and Attorneys and a Jury Chorus All Feminine.

Suffrage is having its day at Keith's Union Square Theatre this week in a musical feature which brings Gilbert and Sullivan's "Trial by Jury" within the limits of a vaudeville act and makes it a trial wholly feminine. Singing girl attorneys prosecute the defendant for breach of promise and plead on his behalf, a contralto Judge charges the jury, and the lady jury itself is the chorus. "Court by Girls" the skit is called. It was received with great approval last night.

May West, who last appeared in "The Winsome Widow," made her début as a vaudeville singer in songs and impersonations which won the applause of a crowded house.

The "headliner" of the bill was George V. Hobart's sketch "Dinkelspiel's Christmas," with Bernard A. Reinold as a comical Dinkelspiel. Other features, which are to be enhanced by special New Year novelties at a double performance to-night, included Laddie Cliff, in songs and dances; Phina and company, the Langdons, Lydia and Albino, Alfredo, the "wandering wizard of the violin," and Askai, a clever Japanese juggler.

Obituary Notes.

BENJAMIN F. MONTGOMERY, Lieutenant Governor-elect of Colorado, died in St. Luke's Hospital, Denver, on Sunday. His death followed an operation performed three weeks ago. Mr. Montgomery was 78 years old, and is survived by a son.

FRANK P. WARREN, ex-Representative in the Connecticut Legislature, died at his home in Killingly, Conn., on last Saturday. He was 61 years old. Mr. Warren was prominent in the Baptist Church.

JAMES R. KERLEY, who was once a revenue collector in New York, died at his home in Red Hook, N. Y., on Sunday. He was 83 years old, and is survived by five sons and a daughter. Two of his sons, Dr. C. G. Kerley and Abram Kerley, live in this city.

DAVID R. DANA, a well-known musician, died suddenly at his home, 26 Nelson Place, Newark, N. J., Sunday night. Mr. Dana was giving a music lesson to a pupil when he sank into a chair and died in a few minutes from heart disease. Mr. Dana was 62 years old, and was President of the Musicians' Benevolent Society.

ALEXANDER SINSHEIMER, head of the cap manufacturing company at 71 Broadway, died at the home of his nephew, Charles S Sinsheimer, 28 Hamilton Terrace, on Sunday. Mr. Sinsheimer was 89 years old and came to this country from Germany seventy-two years ago. He had always lived in New York. He fought through the four years of the civil war as a Union soldier, and when the war ended re-entered the cap manufacturing business in this city.

Mrs. BERTHA K. de YOUNGE, widow of the late Maurice de Younge of Buffalo, N. Y., died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Silver, in Rutherford, N. J., on Sunday. She was 59 years of age, and is survived by a son and daughter.

Prof. CHARLES F. WOODS, Jr., Professor of Modern Languages in the Lehigh University, at Bethlehem, Penn., died in the Church Home and Infirmary, Baltimore, of heart disease on Sunday. Prof. Woods was 44 years old, and had gone to Baltimore to spend the Christmas holidays with his mother and brother, A. C. Woods.

ENGENE RUST, who was well known in the cattle business, died at his home in Kansas City, Mo., on Sunday. He was 61 years old, and had been general manager of the Kansas City stock yards since 1903.

FRAZIER C. WHITCOMB, a representative from Amsterdam in the Montgomery County Board of Supervisors, died in Amsterdam, N. Y., on Sunday. He was 41 years old, and had been for many years city editor of The Amsterdam Morning Sentinel. He was a Progressive, and was for a time Chairman of the Montgomery County Committee of that party.

Mrs. HENRY SHIPPEN HUIDEKOPER, wife of Gen. Huidekoper, died at her home in Philadelphia on Sunday. She was a daughter of the late Thomas W. Evans of Germantown. She is survived by her husband and two children.

WILLIAM M. SANDFORD, aged 77 years, a wealthy resident of Plainfield, N. J., died there yesterday following several strokes of paralysis.

WILLIAM McNAIR, 50 years old, who, during a panic, gave away a thousand dollars worth of bread at his bakery in Paterson, N. J., is dead at his home, 112 Twelfth Avenue, Paterson.

JAMES CROTTY, aged 64 years, a paper and twine merchant of New York, died at a private sanitarium near Plainfield, N. J., Sunday night.

Mrs. J. P. WEBSTER, aged 83, widow of the composer of "The Sweet Bye and Bye," died in Elkhorn, Wis., yesterday.

RICHARD A. LEMON, lawyer and author of the present Illinois parole law, died at his home in Clinton, Ill., on Sunday. Mr. Lemon was President of the first Board of Pardons, inaugurated during the Administration of the late Gov. John A. Tanner. He was 64 years old.

Mrs. HARRY D. HUDLER of Mount Vernon, Past Regent of Bronx Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, died suddenly at her home in North Columbus Avenue, yesterday.

OWEN TIERNEY, 75 years old, engaged in the real estate and insurance business, died yesterday at his home, 2,426 Aqueduct Avenue, the Bronx.

WILLIAM UNGER, an expert accountant, living at 343 Madison Avenue, Flushing, died suddenly at his home yesterday from heart disease.

JOHN D. MEEKER, 90 years old, formerly Township Treasurer, died yesterday at his home in Millburn, N. J.

Mrs. MARY ANN MAINS, in her ninety-ninth year, the oldest resident of Boonton, N. J., died there last Saturday night.

Swift & Company's sales of Fresh Beef in New York City for the week ending Saturday, Dec. 28 averaged 11.15 cents per pound. —Adv.

Marriage and death notices intended for insertion in The New York Times may be telephoned to 1000 Bryant.

Born.

DORFMAN.—Dec. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dorfman of 250 West 112th St., a son.

GARDINER.—In New York, Dec. 28, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. James Dawes Gardiner, Ossining-on-Hudson, a daughter, Elisabeth Morton.

Married.

BIERLING—SCHAUS.—On Dec. 30, 1912, at the German Lutheran Church, Stapleton, S. I., by the Rev. Frederick Sutter, Anna Hermine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schaus, to Wilhelm Bierling.

EGBERT—COWPERTHWAITE.—At Westfield, N. J., on Dec. 28, 1912, by Dr. Samuel Lane Loomis, assisted by the Rev. George D. Egbert of Flushing, N. Y., Edith Adele, daughter of J. Fred Cowperthwaite, to Harry Drew Egbert of New York City.

Newark.

CONGER—DERBYSHIRE.—Dec. 27, Mary E. Derbyshire to Howard R. Conger.

PATTERSON—BENJAMIN.—Dec. 28, Cornelia Benjamin to Charles R. Patterson.

Westchester County.

ABRAMS—SOMERS.—White Plains, Dec. 28, Elizabeth Somers to James C. Abrams.

Died.

ALLERTON.—Dec. 29, Bessie L., daughter of the late George W. and Elizabeth R. Allerton. Funeral service at her home, Caldwell, N. J., Tuesday, 2:15 P. M. Carriages will meet train leaving Jersey City (Erie Station) 12:47.

BLEECKER.—On Saturday, Dec. 28, 1912, at her residence, Garden City, L. I., in her 84th year, Eveleen De Witt, eldest daughter of the late Theophylact Bache and Lydia De Witt Bleecker. Funeral services at her late residence on Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 11 o'clock A. M.

BURFORD.—Suddenly, at Elmhurst, N. Y., on Dec. 30, 1912, Thomas S. Burford, in his 78th year. Funeral services on Wednesday at 2 P. M. at the Methodist Episcopal Church. Interment at Mount Olivet.

CARMAN.—Dec. 30, 1912, in her 75th year, Julia S. Carman, late of Jersey City, widow of the late James S. Carman. Funeral services will be held at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. R. P. Boorman of Spring Valley, N. Y., on Thursday, Jan. 2, 1913, at 1:30 P. M. Train leaves Erie depot, Jersey City, 10:45 A. M. Coaches will meet train on arrival.

CARTER.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, 1912, at 69 West 50th St., after a short illness, Richard Hartshorne Carter, aged 2 years and 3 months, youngest son of Elena Hartshorne and Dr. William Wesley Carter. Funeral private.

CHITTICK.—At Newark, N. J., Friday evening, Dec. 27, 1912, Harriet Adela Chittick, in her 80th year. Funeral services at residence of her nephew, Mr. James Chittick, 178 North 6th St., corner of 7th Av., Roseville, (Newark,) N. J., Tuesday morning, Dec. 31, at 11 o'clock.

COOPER.—Entered into rest on Sunday, Dec. 29, Philip Henry Cooper, Rear Admiral U. S., son of the late Hiram H. Cooper and Delia A. Murdock. Funeral services at St. Peter's Church, Morristown, N. J., on Wednesday, Jan. 1, on the arrival of the 12:15 P. M. D., L. & W. train from Hoboken, N. J. Carriages will meet the train on its arrival.

CRAWFORD.—Dec. 29, 1912, at the residence of his parents, 449 West 34th St., Frank Crawford, born Jan. 23, 1871. Funeral services at the above address Tuesday evening, 8 o'clock. Members of Gavel Lodge No. 703, F. and A. M.; Triune Chapter, No. 241, R. A. M.; Columbian Commandery, No. 1, K. T.; Elks, No. 1, B. P. O. E., are respectfully invited. Interment private Wednesday morning. Please omit flowers.

Died.

DILWORTH.—At Berlin, Md., Dec. 28, Henry C. Dilworth, beloved husband of Matilda Sherwood, formerly of East Orange, N. J. Funeral services Dec. 31. Interment at Berlin, Md.

FORD.—Dec. 29, at Boonton, N. J., Horace Ford. Born near Morristown, N. J., 1839. Funeral at his residence, 117 Birch St., Boonton, Thursday, Jan. 2, 1913, at 2:30 P. M.

FRECH.—Dec. 29, 1912, Theodore M. Frech, in the 62d year of his age. Funeral from his late residence, Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 31.

GOLDSTEIN.—Louis, 136 West 111th St., New York City, Dec. 30, 1912, aged 65 years. Funeral Tuesday, Dec. 31, 11 A. M., from late residence. Interment Union Fields Cemetery. Friends requested to attend.

GRANT.—Funeral services for the late R. Suydam Grant will be held at Grace Church on Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 10 o'clock. Interment private.

HAMEL.—Suddenly, on Dec. 29, at his late residence, 201 West 102d St., Isaiah Hamel, in his 54th year. Funeral services on Thursday, Jan. 2, at St. Michael's P. E. Church, 99th St. and Amsterdam Av., at 10:30 A. M. Relatives and friends, also members of Charity Lodge, No. 727, F. and A. M., and Jamaica Bay Yacht Club are invited to attend. Body now lying at Luckings-Bender-Schutte Mortuary Chapel, 851 Amsterdam Av., near 102d St.

HINMAN.—On Dec. 30, 1912, suddenly, at the home of his late son, Russell Hinman, in Summit, N. J., E. B. Hinman, in his 96th year. Services private. Cincinnati papers please copy.

HYND.—Sunday, Dec. 29, 1912, Elizabeth E., beloved wife of William A. Hynd, in her 43d year. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend funeral Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 2 P. M., from her late residence, 397 New York Av., Jersey City.

KOEHLER.—Harry D., died suddenly at City Island, Dec. 29, 1912. Funeral from his sister's residence, Mrs. H. J. Zehder, 2,784 Marion Av., Bedford Park, (198th,) Tuesday, 2 P. M.

LUDLOW.—On Saturday, Dec. 28, 1912, at her residence, 799 Park Av., Elizabeth C. Ludlow, daughter of the late Robert C. and Mary Peters Ludlow, in her 88th year. Funeral service will be held at the Church of the Resurrection, 74th St., between Park and Lexington Avs., on Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 11 o'clock. Interment private.

MASTERTON.—On Dec. 30, 1912, at Mount Vernon, N. Y., Josephine A., wife of John M. Masterton, in the 77th year of her age. Funeral private.

McCAY.—At St. Vincent's Hospital, Dec. 29, after a short illness, George McCay, for many years clerk of Xavier Alumni Sodality. Funeral from Delaney's Parlors, 130 Greenwich Av., near 8th Av., Tuesday, Dec. 31, to St. Francis Xavier's Church, West 16th St., at 10:30 A. M.

NEWBOLD.—On Dec. 29, 1912, at his late residence, 2,411 Butler Place, Westchester, New York City, George E. Newbold. Funeral private. Please omit flowers.

MILLSPAUGH.—Josiah, 58. THE FUNERAL CHURCH, 241 West 23d, (Campbell Building.) Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock.

PLATT.—Albon Man, on Dec. 29, 1912. Funeral from St. Anne's Church, corner Livingston and Clinton Sts., Brooklyn, Tuesday morning, Dec. 31, at 11 A. M.

PRIME.—At his home, 390 Wadsworth Av., New York City, on Monday, Dec. 30, 1912, Alanson J. Prime, in his 61st year. Funeral service at his daughter's residence, 74 Beechwood Terrace, Yonkers, Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 1, 1913, at 2 o'clock. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery.

RANDALL.—At the home of her son-in-law, W. K. Major, Jr., Goshen, Conn., Helen Louise Whitlock, widow of the late Charles Knower Randall and daughter of the late Robert Whitlock of Albany. Notice of funeral hereafter. Albany papers please copy.

REID.—Whitelaw, on Dec. 15, in London in the seventy-sixth year of his age. Funeral services in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine on Saturday, Jan. 4, at 11 A. M. Friends and societies invited to attend. Cards of admission may be had on application to Dean Grosvenor, at the Cathedral, Amsterdam Av. and 112th St. Interment private.

SANDFORD.—At Plainfield, N. J., on Monday, Dec. 30, 1912, William M. Sandford in his 77th year. Services at his late residence, 343 East Front St., Plainfield, N. J., on Wednesday, Jan. 1, at 11 A. M. Carriages will meet B. & O. train, leaving foot of Liberty Street, New York City, (C. R. R. of N. J.,) at 10 o'clock. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

SERVOSS.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, 1912, Courtney Schenck Servoss, son of the late Thomas C. and Eliza W. Servoss. Funeral service at his late residence, 173 Gates Av., Brooklyn, N. Y., on Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Interment at Bethel, Conn.

SINSHEIMER.—On Dec. 29, Alexander Sinsheimer, in his 89th year. Funeral from his late residence, 28 Hamilton Terrace, Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 10 A. M.

SPEER.—At Rutherford, N. J., Dec. 30, suddenly, James Speer, aged 48 years. Funeral services at his late residence, 16 West Passaic Av., on Thursday afternoon, 2 o'clock.

STRANGE.—Miss Carrie A. Strange was buried yesterday in Sleepy Hollow Cemetery, Tarrytown, N. Y. Miss Strange was formerly a resident of Dobbs Ferry, but for several years past has resided in Overbrook, Penn. She was the daughter of the late Edwin B. and Josephine L. Strange.

TIERNEY.—On Dec. 29, at 2,426 Aqueduct Av., Bronx, Owen Tierney, aged 75. Funeral private.

WURZBACH.—Entered into rest on Sunday, Dec. 29, 1912, Charles Wurzbach, beloved father of F. A. Wurzbach, aged 82 years. Funeral services at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Adam Bien, 1,253 Springfield Av., Irvington, N. J., on Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 2:30 P. M. Interment in Fairmount Cemetery.

WRIGHT.—At Luzern, Switzerland, on Dec. 29, Edith E., daughter of the late John and Mary Hall Wright of this city.

WRAY.—Suddenly, on Sunday, Dec. 29, at Highland Mills, N. Y., Louise Sloane Wray, daughter of Elizabeth Sloane and John H. Wray. Funeral services at Highland Mills on Wednesday, Jan. 1, at 2 P. M. Carriages will meet train leaving Erie ferry at Chambers St. at 9:10 A. M.

BEDELL.—Catharine L., 313 West 83d St., Dec. 29. Funeral Jan. 2, 10 A. M.

BEST.—Mattie F., 622 East 140th St., Dec. 28, aged 68.

BLEYLE.—Marie, 346 East 86th St., Dec. 29, aged 74. Funeral to-day.

CALLAHAN.—William L., 108 East 71st St., Dec. 29, aged 41.

CHLUP.—Mrs. K., 576 Central Av., Dec. 29, aged 86. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

COHN.—Julia, 974 Home St., Bronx, Dec. 29 Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

DAILY.—Margaret, 991 2d Av., Dec. 29, aged 23. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

DUBERNELL.—Louisa H., 217 Rutland Road, Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

EARLY.—Annie F., 112 East 115th St., Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

FITZPATRICK.—Michael J., 370 East 139th St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

HAWKSBY.—Mary F., 110 Christopher St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

HERRELL.—John, Tompkinsville, S. I., Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

HEYMAN.—William H., 821 East 165th St., Dec. 29, aged 21. Funeral Jan. 2, 10 A. M.

HOWARD.—George, 1,848 Amsterdam Av., Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 8:30 A. M.

JACOBSON.—Anna, Dec. 29. Funeral 241 West 23d St.

KLINE.—William, 79 East 5th St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

McMAHON.—Annie, 143 West 16th St., Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 9 A. M.

MAYER.—Gertrude, Dec. 29, aged 42. Funeral 171 8th Av.

MURPHY.—Mary, 204 East 47th St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

SCHERER.—Stephen, Dec. 29, aged 86. Funeral 62 West 102d St.

SIMPSON.—Charlotte M., 182 6th Av., Dec. 29, aged 79. Funeral to-day.

SPIER.—Josephine, 3,875 Broadway, Dec. 29. Funeral notice later.

WARD.—Bernard, 423 Canal St., Dec. 29. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

WHEELEHAN.—Matthew, 126 West 95th St., Dec. 29. Funeral notice later.

Brooklyn.

BRADLEY.—Katherine, 904 Avenue C West, Dec. 29, aged 27.

BRASSELL.—Margaret, 351 Tompkins Av., Dec. 29. Funeral Jan. 2, 9 A. M.

Died.

BRUNNER.—Mary, 17 Furman St., Dec. 29. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

BUNNION.—Ellen L., 114 Verona St., Dec. 29, aged 55. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

EBERT.—Henry, 49 North 1st St., Dec. 29, aged 58.

ENDERBY.—Milton W., 15 Cooper St., Dec. 29. Funeral Jan. 2.

GALVIN.—Michael, 190 Jerome St., Dec. 29, aged 74. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

HAND.—Mary, 891 Henry St., Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

HENDRICKSON.—James A., 361 58th St., Dec. 29, aged 40. Funeral to-day.

HEDDEN.—Elizabeth, 465 Park Place, Dec. 28. Funeral to-day.

KAY.—Annie C., 570 Myrtle Av., Dec. 29, aged 46.

KERRIGAN.—William, Long Island State Hospital, Dec. 28, aged 45.

KRUSE.—Lewis A., 204 East 32d St., Dec. 29, aged 69.

LOWINSON.—Eleanore, 553 2d St., Dec. 29, aged 36.

McDERMOTT.—Mary F., 59 Classon Av., Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

McKENNA.—Ann, 456 Senator St., Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

MORAN.—James J., 39 Underhill Av., Dec. 29, aged 43.

NIEMANN.—Johanna, 54 Cedar St., Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

PARL.—Thomas, Kings County Hospital, Dec. 28, aged 42.

PEYSER.—Fannie, 393 Grand St., Dec. 30, aged 54. Funeral to-morrow.

SPENGLER.—Paul O., 350 Stanhope St., Dec. 29, aged 10. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

SOLOMON.—Rose A., 371 5th Av., Dec. 30. Funeral notice later.

VAIL.—James F., Kings County Hospital, Dec. 29. Funeral to-day.

WILLIAMS.—Mary, 41 2d St., Dec. 29. Funeral to-morrow.

YOUNG.—Elizabeth, 166 Bedford Av., Dec. 28. Funeral Jan. 2.

VON GLAHN.—Arthur H., 502 East 17th St., Dec. 29, aged 19 months.

Hoboken, Jersey City, and Newark.

BELL.—James, 152 Randolph Av., Jersey City, Dec. 29, aged 42. Funeral to-day.

BOMMER.—Maria S., 94 West St., Newark, Dec. 29, aged 49. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

BRASSELL.—Robert, 34½ South 14th St., Newark, Dec. 30.

CASEY.—John J., 93 South 12th St., Newark, Dec. 30.

DANA.—David R., 26 Nelson Place, Newark, Dec. 28, aged 62. Funeral to-day.

DE FORGE.—John M., 621 Bramhall Av., Jersey City, Dec. 29.

DIFFANY.—Sophia, 244 Littleton Av., Newark, Dec. 29, aged 71.

DUFFY.—Frank, 19 Warren St., Newark, Dec. 29. Funeral Jan. 2.

EVERS.—William, 393 Grove St., Jersey City, Dec. 30. Funeral notice later.

FAAS.—Gustave A., 196 Sherman Av., Newark, Dec. 29, aged 44.

FAIRCHILD.—Ezra, 478 Orange St., Newark, Dec. 29, aged 82. Funeral to-day.

FINTER.—Edgar, 79 New York Av., Newark, Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

FITZSIMMONS.—Owen, 10 Bovery St., Newark, Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 8:30 A. M.

FREEMAN.—Ellen M., 10 Orleans St., Newark, Dec. 27. Funeral to-day, 10:30 A. M.

FUCHS.—Marie A., 131 4th Av., Newark, Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 1:30 P. M.

GILMORE.—Margaret, 122 3d Av., Newark, Dec. 29, aged 84.

GOODMAN.—Frederick, 568 15th Av., Newark, Dec. 28, aged 86.

GORMAN.—Andrew, 32 Bloomfield Av., Newark, Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 8 A. M.

HANLE.—Catherine C., 373 18th Av., Newark, Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

JOHNSTON.—The Rev. S. K., Newark, Dec. 29, aged 54. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

KUENZLI.—Otto, 434 Spring St., Hoboken, Dec. 30, aged 47. Funeral to-morrow.

KUNZ.—Benedict, Sr., 9 Hensler St., Newark, Dec. 30, aged 68.

LUNNEY.—Frank, Newark, Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 9 A. M.

McCLYMONT.—Katherine M., 663 South 15th St., Newark, Dec. 29. Funeral to-day.

McGEE.—Robert, 9 Lanark Av., Newark, Dec. 28, aged 77. Funeral private.

McGINLEY.—Thomas, Jersey City, Dec. 28. Funeral to-day.

MEISENZAHL.—Margaret, 252½ Hunterdon St., Newark, Dec. 30, aged 66.

NEWMAN.—Mina, 12 Perrine Av., Jersey City, Dec. 29. Funeral to-morrow, 10 A. M.

SIMONS.—Marian H., Newark, Dec. 29, aged 2. Funeral private.

REED.—Ellen, 87 Germania Av., Jersey City, Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 9 A. M.

SCHAFBOOK.—Charles, 47 Terhune Av., Jersey City, Dec. 28. Funeral to-day.

SHINE.—Cornelius, Hoboken, Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 9 A. M.

SHOLL.—Charles A., Jersey City, Dec. 29, aged 54. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

STEPHENS.—George A., 567 Ocean Av., Jersey City, Dec. 28. Funeral to-day.

STINSON.—Margaret, Jersey City, Dec. 29.

WALSH.—Frank E., 68 West Kinney St., Newark, Dec. 29, aged 53. Funeral to-morrow.

Long Island.

GOULD.—William, Central Islip, Dec. 28, aged 60. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

MEADE.—Nicholas, Bay Shore, Dec. 28, aged 71. Funeral to-day.

STILL.—William H., Baldwin, Dec. 29. Funeral service to-day.

Westchester County.

McGUIRE.—James, Tuckahoe, Dec. 29. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

In Memoriam.

RUDDEN.—Catherine, mass St. Rose of Lima's Church, Newark, N. J., Jan. 2, 8 A. M.

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GIANTS WILL TRY OUT NINE YOUNG PITCHERS

Yankees' Deal with Rochester for Short Stop McMillan Called Off.

Manager John J. McGraw of the Giants is making a greater effort than ever before to build up a new pitching staff next season to support his veteran slabmen. He stands pat on the rest of the team; they can field, bat and score runs, and that's all he asks. But he does want to break in a number of new pitchers for future use. It was announced at the offices of the club yesterday that a promising collection of nine new pitchers would be ordered to mobilize in Marlin, Texas, about Feb. 18, to be carefully scrutinized by Coach Wilbert Robinson and Manager McGraw.

Last season McGraw gave his scouts the tip to round up pitchers, and they have followed his advice. The nine young men who will be tried out for the Giants' pitching staff are mostly right-handers. A few of the youngsters are southpaws, and probably one of them will be retained. Fred Smith comes from Traverse City of the Michigan State League; Fred M. Schupp played with the Decatur Club in the Three-Eye League and comes with the reputation of having a new curve which works like a drop ball turned upside down; E. K. Perryman pitched for Richmond in the Virginia League; D. A. Robertson, a southpaw, comes from a small college in the South and can play any position on the team, besides being a good slabman. La Rue Kirby is another graduate of Traverse City in the Michigan State League; Don Hanley is a right-hander, who pitched fine ball last season for Newark in the Ohio State League; Theodore Goulait pitched last season for Indianapolis. Al Demaree pitched a few games at the end of last season; he was a pupil of Mike Finn in Mobile. Lou Bader pitched last season for Dallas in the Texas League.

This comprises the list of nine promising flingers from which McGraw hopes to pick two or three good ones to strengthen his regular staff of Mathewson, Marquard, Tesreau, Crandall, Ames, and Wiltse.

The only other recruits who are to be taken on the training trip are Bill Jacobson, who was on one previous training trip with the Giants. He played last season in Mobile. Claude Cooper of Fort Worth will be tried out for an outfield position. Milton Stock, who went South with the team last year, will be given another chance to break into the big league. Last season he played with Buffalo. He is an infielder. These players, together with the regulars, make up the Giants' list of thirty-five players allowed under the National Commission rules.

Tommy McMillan, the diminutive shortstop, who was obtained by the Yankees last season from Rochester, will probably not be in the line-up next season, as President Frank Farrell decided yesterday to send him back to Rochester. McMillan came here at the end of the season, being traded for Shortstop Jack Martin and a money consideration, said to be $4,000. Martin had played a good game here, but Manager Wolverton wanted McMillan, and landed him. President Chapin of the Rochester Club yesterday announced to Mr. Farrell that he wanted Martin and a cash consideration of $5,500 for McMillan instead of the $4,000 originally named in the deal. President Farrell decided to call the deal off rather than give up the extra money demanded by Rochester.

Christy Mathewson, the Giants' peerless pitcher, was in Jefferson Market Court yesterday morning prepared to testify for the New York Baseball Club in its action against the Commercial Motion Picture Company. "Big Six" was not called upon, however, because Magistrate Butts was not sure of the jurisdiction of his court in the case, and it was adjourned until Jan. 3.

The New York Baseball Club alleges that the Universal Film Company unlawfully took motion pictures of games in the last world's series, and that the Commercial Motion Picture Company displayed these pictures to the public for an admission fee. The club maintained that it sold the full moving picture rights of the world's series to the Pathe Frères Company, and that in taking and exhibiting the pictures in question the defendant companies violated Section 50 of the Civil Rights act, which prohibits the exhibition of a picture of a person for commercial purposes without the consent of the person whose picture is exhibited. The defendants appeared in court in answer to summonses, and Magistrate Butts said that it was necessary for them to be arrested on a warrant before he could hear the case. The court also held that it must be convinced that a crime had been committed before a warrant could be issued. Pending decision on this question the case was adjourned.

President Harry Newton Hempstead of the Giants is now in Indianapolis with his family, and is getting ready to move to New York during the latter part of the week. After attending college at Lehigh and Pennsylvania, Mr. Hempstead came to New York and was in business here for some time. When the late John T. Brush bought the New York Club Mr. Hempstead went to Indianapolis, and has since had charge of his business interests there.

President Ebbets of Brooklyn is trying to get the consent of the other club owners of the National League to allow him to have a spectacular opening of the new Ebbets Field in Brooklyn on April 8, two days ahead of the opening of the National League season. He wants to open the new Brooklyn park with the Giants as the visiting team. President Hempstead of the Giants has given his consent to have New York play at the early opening, provided the other clubs consent. There is sure to be some opposition to such a plan, however, especially from the Bostons, who open at the Polo Grounds on April 10, and from the Phillies, who were to have played the Brooklyns in Philadelphia on that same date. The Brooklyn fans want to see the new park opened with auspicious ceremonies, and hope the Dodgers will beat the Giants on that occasion.

It is now almost certain that Billy Locke, the Secretary of the Pittsburgh Club, will be the next President of the Philadelphia Club. Locke had a conference yesterday in Cincinnati with Charles P. Taft, who represents part of the capital behind the Phillies, and by putting up a substantial amount of money Locke secured an option on the club until Jan. 15. In that time it is believed that Locke will have lined up his backers and that the club will be purchased. When the sale of the Philadelphia Club was first mentioned something like $500,000 was asked for it, but it is believed that the price had been cut down considerably before Locke and his backers would consent to bid for it. Former Police Commissioner Baker of this city, Gov. John K. Tener of Pennsylvania, and a Louisville capitalist are said to be behind Locke in the deal.

The majority of the major league clubs have selected their training camps, and several of them have decided to go further south than last year, and avoid the bad weather which harrassed the work of the clubs last Spring. Of the National League Club, the Giants, of course, will go to Marlin, Texas; Chicago to Tampa, Fla.; Philadelphia to Southern Pines, N. C.; Brooklyn to Augusta, Ga., (probably;) Pittsburgh to Hot Springs, Ark.; Cincinnati to Mobile, Ala.; St. Louis to Americus, Ga., and Boston to Athens, Ga.

The Yankes will probably go to Bermuda; Boston Red Sox to Hot Springs, Ark.; the Athletics to San Antonio, Texas; Detroit to Gulfport, Miss.; Chicago to Paso Robles, Cal.; Cleveland to Pensacola, Fla.; St. Louis to Waco, Texas, and Washington to Charlottesville, Va., (probably.)

Tall Larry McLean, who has been turned loose by Cincinnati for violating club rules last season, announces that he is not ready to go back to the minors just yet. Larry says that Manager McGraw promised to land him with one of the other clubs on the strength of his good resolutions. Larry is likely to land in either St. Louis or Boston. There was never any question about Larry being a good catcher.

The Boston Nationals think so well of Maranville, the little short stop, that he was the real reason of Al Bridwell's release. Maranville was recently sent a contract by President Gaffney, with a raise for next season. President Gaffney says the youngster sent back the most enthusiastic letter imaginable, and said, among other things, that "next season he would play his head off in the field and at the bat."

Joe Berger, the sensational short stop bought by the Chicago White Sox from Los Angeles, dispelled the reports that he is a hold-out by signing a contract for next season.

Spring Games for the Cubs.

TAMPA, Fla., Dec. 30.—C. W. Murphy, President of the Chicago National League club, arrived here to-day to select a site for the Chicago Nationals' Spring training. He announced the Spring schedule of games for the Cubs, which includes:

Jacksonville, March 19; Chattanooga, March 20, 21; Memphis, March 22, 23; Nashville, March 24, 25, 26; Louisville, March 27, 28, 29, 30, 31; Indianapolis, April 3, 4, 5, 6; Chicago, Northwestern University and University of Chicago, April 7 and 8.

Mr. Murphy said the Chicagoans would open the 1913 season at home with the St. Louis team April 9.

LOW BLOW ENDS BOUT.

Eddie Kelly Quits in Fourth Round of Bout with Tommy Houck.

Owing to the illness of Johnny Dundee, who was scheduled to box Eddie Kelly of Harlem at the Olympic A. C. last night, Tommy Houck was substituted against Kelly, and the bout came to an unsatisfactory finish in the fourth round. A low blow was the cause of the abrupt finish, Kelly declaring that he had been fouled, while Houck and his followers said that Kelly "quit" after a fairly delivered punch to the stomach.

Although Kelly was to make 128 pounds for Dundee, he tipped the beam at 134 pounds when he weighed in just before the bout last night. Houck weighed 125 pounds. Up to the time of the sudden finish, Kelly had the better of the going. He outboxed Houck and jarred the Philadelphian several times with his hard punches. A straight right to the face was Kelly's most effective punch, and he crossed over his right occasionally with sufficient force to drive Houck back. In the second round Kelly opened a cut in Houck's mouth, and in the third round he had Tommy on the verge of a knockdown when he staggered him with a right hook to the jaw.

In the infighting Houck did his best work, and when he entered his attack on Kelly's stomach the latter appeared at a disadvantage. In the second round Kelly said that he had been struck low, but quickly resumed boxing, and his clean hitting to Houck's face kept him in the lead.

Kelly was going along well in the fourth round when the pair went into a clinch, and Houck landed a hard left to the lower part of Kelly's stomach. The latter immediately doubled up as if severely injured, and when he failed to continue was helped to his corner, apparently in pain. The club physician was called, and it was announced, after an examination, that there was no evidence of a foul blow being struck.

The substitute bout was announced to the people coming in, and many prospective ticket purchasers turned back.

FITZGERALD IN RING AGAIN.

Defeats Jack Lundy After a Year's Absence from Boxing Game.

Willie Fitzgerald of Brooklyn, after an absence of almost a year from the ring, made his reappearance last night at the Royale A. C. in Brooklyn, and earned a decision over Jack Lundy, also of Brooklyn. Fitzgerald outclassed his opponent at every stage of the contest, and by his experience managed to get inside what few hard swings Lundy attempted.

After such a long lay-off Willie put up a wonderful exhibition, showing both cleverness and speed. On his feet he proved much too fast for Lundy, and when standing still his left jabs and right crosses to the body were more than Lundy could overcome.

In the first round Fitzgerald started off like a flash and many around the ring predicted dthat he could not last, but when the final bell sounded he was still agile and mixing much better than his opponent. In the fourth round, after he had had all the honors he deliberately stuck out his jaw and allowed Lundy to slam away with three hard swings just as the bell sounded.

Willie had a slight advantage in weight, tipping the beam at 151 pounds, while Lundy scaled 149½. Fitzgerald gained the honors in all but two of the rounds, these being sixth and seventh. In the latter period Lundy did all the forcing and got in his best work, while the fifth ended even. After taking the lead for the seventh round when he had Lundy swinging wild from all angles, Willie toyed with his man in the eighth. The last two resulted in the fastest work of the entire ten. Both men stood up and as a last resort Lundy tried hard to come back by mixing at close range.

The card was made up of three ten-round bouts. In the semi-final Philly McGovern had all he could do to win from Jimmy Murray. In the opener, a slam-bang affair, Joe Jackson was entitled to the honors over Chicken Rosken.

BETTING ON BOUT EVEN.

McCarty on Edge for Fight with Palzer at Vernon Arena.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 30.—Practically the entire reserved seat section at the Vernon Arena has been sold out for the twenty-round fight on New Year's Day between Al. Palzer, the Iowa heavyweight, and Luther McCarty, the "Cowboy pugilist."

McCarty was declared by his trainers to be "on edge" to-day, and he did only light gymnasium work. Palzer had a strenuous boxing session with his sparring partners.

Even money continues to prevail in betting circles.

EGGS BY PARCEL POST.

New Law to be Tested During Garden Poultry Show.

To test the rules for the transmission of eggs by parcel post, which poultrymen say include too much red tape, the Show Committee of the twenty-fourth show of the New York Poultry, Pigeon, and Pet Stock Association, which opens this morning at Madison Square Garden, has arranged to have eggs sent by parcel post from suburban yards to the Garden to arrive at different hours on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. The law states that each egg must be wrapped securely in corrugated paper, wood, or some other substantial material, and placed on end in a box, and that each egg shall be separated from its fellows to lessen the danger of breakage. Also, each package must be so wrapped that its contents will be acceptable to those who may wish to inspect the egg in transit.

The poultrymen, some of whom ship thousands of eggs in sets for hatching each season by express, maintain that it is only necessary to pack the eggs in wire holders within wooden boxes with a moveable cover. The results of the tests by parcel post will be submitted to the Directors of the American Poultry Association.

Six thousand entries of prize poultry, pigeons, cavies, rabbits, and song birds will be judged during the five days of the show, while the ornamental displays of pheasants and wild birds will form attractive features of the annual exhibition.

Weaver Improves His Batting.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—"Buck" Weaver, the Chicago American League team's shortstop, while playing in the Pacific Coast Winter League, has changed himself from a right to a left hand batter. Weaver let Manager Callahan know to-day that he had accomplished the change, and figured that it increased his hitting value by at least 25 per cent. Weaver says it took him two months, giving all his morning practice time to it. He took up the idea on the suggestion of Gleason and Callahan. Bush of Detroit, Bescher of Cincinnati, and "Germany" Schaefer of Washington have accomplished the same change as Weaver in past years, and each has become a stronger batter as a left-hander.

BIG BUSINESS DONE BY NEW YORK A. C.

Total Receipts of the Club from All Sources Nearly a Million Dollars.

As outlined in THE TIMES of last Sunday the statement of the Treasurer, Martin S. Paine, which was given out last night in combination with the report of the Board of Governors of the New York Athletic Club shows an operating and net profit to the club of $15,352.86 for the fiscal year, which ended Nov. 30, 1912.

Some idea of the magnitude of the financial operations involved in the business in connection with the operation of the world's greatest athletic organization can be gathered when it is known that the receipts of the club for the year totaled the sum of $851,857.42.

The balance sheet shows total assets of $1,869,953.72, $1,747,928.98 of which is in the property of the organization at Central Park South and Travers Island, the real estate, building, and furniture and fixtures of the city house being appraised at $1,343,780.08.

In initiation fees there was received $40,620, while the dues amounted to $211,012. In the matter of disbursements it is noticed that the payroll amounted to $215,375.05, while the Olympic Fund profited to the extent of $3,812.50.

The cost of athletics is figured up as $29,745, less profits on boxing shows of $6,145.15, and trap shooting, $879.23, which brings the total actual cost of athletics to $22,720.62.

In the matter of departmental and expense account profits were shown as follows: Rooms, city house, $30,470.06; rooms, Travers Island, $586.11; bar and wine cellar, city house, $8,603.97; bar and wine cellar, Travers Island, $3,866.80; cigars, city house, $6,878.75; cigars, Travers Island, $972.63; billiards, city house, $3,384.16; billiards, Travers Island, $76.20; lockers, city house, $1,233.40; club journal, $2,766.01; valet, city house, $120.15; gasoline, Travers Island, $42.72.

Losses were charged against the following: Restaurant, city house, $18,672.36; restaurant, Travers Island, $1,408.90; bowling, city house, $738.33; bath, city house, $1,487.84; telephone, city house, $649.73; telephone, Travers Island, $423.47; Huckelberry Island, $300; launch Indian, $380.08.

In the report of the Captain, Matthew P. Halpin, a summing up indicates that members of the club won 330 firsts, 248 seconds, and 186 thirds for a total of 2,56? points scored in track and field, swimming, rowing, fencing, bowling, cycling, trap-shooting, skating, and gymnastics, with the additional statement that the year just finished has been one of the most successful in the club's competitive history.

Several of the members and teams contributed to world's and other records in both the Olympic games and contests held throughout the United States. Platt Adams, a track athlete and the winner of the standing high jump in the Olympic games, leads in the point score of the 138 athletes who figure in the list, with 143 points for a total of 21 firsts, 10 seconds, and 8 thirds. Track men figure second and third, with O. W. De Grouchy and Edward Frick filling the positions.

At the end of the year, which wound up on Nov. 30, 1911, the membership of the club was 4,296. In the report just issued the list shows a total of 4,232, made up as follows: Honorary, 6; life, 409; resident, 3,075; non-resident, 619; army and navy, 64, and junior, 59.

Veteran Billiardist Drops Back.

Alfred Isenburger, E. Marshall, and S. M. Rosenfield are the leaders in the three-cushion carrom billiard tournament, which has progressed through 87 games at Paul's Academy, 125th Street and Seventh Avenue, under the direction of the National Association of Amateur Billiard Players. Edward N. Carr, the octogenarian, met with a line of ten defeats during the past week, and has dropped among the tail-enders. The schedule of games allotted to Isenburger was temporarily held up, due to charges made to the National Association. Isenburger yesterday received a clean bill as an amateur from the Registration Committee, and will be an active competitor this week in the games that are preparatory to the National amateur championships. The standing of the players follows:

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
A. Isenburger	3	0	1.000
E. Marshall	10	2	.833
S. M. Rosenfield	5	1	.833
L. Kornicker	6	2	.750
S. Stearns	9	3	.750
E. Z. Parker	7	3	.700
G. A. Bender	6	4	.600
C. Ohmann	6	4	.600
Juvet Andre	3	2	.600
W. J. Roberts	7	6	.538
H. V. Meagher	6	8	.428
E. Miller	5	7	.416
H. Daniel	1	2	.333
G. I. Dann	3	7	.300
J. Sachs	3	8	.272
E. N. Carr	3	10	.230
A. Siegel	2	7	.222
M. Siegel	1	4	.200
M. Metzger	1	6	.142
G. A. Baldwin	0	1	.000

WINNERS WITH THE CUE.

Thomas Thompson jumped into the lead in the amateur handicap three-cushion carrom billiard tournament at the Broadway Billiard Academy, Sixty-fifth Street and Broadway, last night, when he defeated Frank Henry by the score of 18 to 11 in thirty-seven innings. The winner made a high run of 5 points. Henry was playing for 19 points, and made a high run of 3. Thompson's record to date is five games won and one lost.

Charles Otis earned his right to the amateur three-cushion carrom billiard championship title of Brooklyn by defeating Dave Louderbach in the final block of their match at Keeney's Billiard Academy in Brooklyn last night by the score of 50 to 32. It was the longest contest of the series, and as both players indulged in considerable safety play, the final point was not tallied until the ninety-fifth inning. The winner made a high run of 4 points and Louderbach made a run of 3. Otis's aggregate for the six nights of play was 300 points, or 50 points each night. Louderbach had a total of 219 points. In addition to the championship title, the winner of the match was awarded a diamond stickpin. Otis is willing to play the best amateur in Manhattan for the championship of Greater New York, and Frank Keeney, manager of the Knickerbocker Academy, is anxious to stage the match.

Alfred de Oro, holder of the championship pool title, was defeated by William Downs, in his first practice game in preparation for his coming championship match with James Maturo of Denver, at Doyle's Billiard Academy last night. The final score was 100 to 82. Downs finished his string in seventeen innings and had a high run of 14 points. De Oro had a run of 21 balls.

In last night's game of the amateur Class B 18.2 balkline billiard tournament at the Morningside Billiard Academy, 125th Street and Lenox Avenue, William Canady defeated Sylvester Levy by the score of 150 to 139, in fifty-nine innings. This is the first game Levy has lost since the beginning of the tournament. Canady had an average of 2 32-59, with high runs of 17, 11, and 9. Levy averaged 2 21-59, and his high runs were 16, 12, and 11.

Crescents Lose at Basket Ball.

Toronto University's basket ball team defeated the Crescent A. C. five on the latter's court in Brooklyn last night by a score of 46 to 29. The Canadians outplayed the New-mooners all the way. Thompson and Boody of the visitors being especially clever in throwing goals from the field. The Canadians led at the end of the first half by a score of 25 to 8. Heath and Hobart did most of the Crescents' scoring. The line-up:

Toronto.	Position.	Crescent A. C.
Boody	Left forward	Heath
Brock	Right forward	Root
Simpson	Centre	Hobart
Thompson	Left guard	Downey, Colton
Scott, Gage	Right guard	Lee

Goals from field—Toronto: Thompson, 8; Boody, 6; Simpson, 4; Brock, 2; Scott, 1. Crescent A. C.: Heath, 3; Hobart, 3; Root, 2; Colton, 1; Lee, 2. Goals from fouls—Heath, 7; Brock, 4. Referee—Mr. O'Shea. Time of halves—Fifteen minutes.

Notes of the Boxers.

Joe Rivers, the Mexican boxer, who arrived in New York a few days ago from Los Angeles, will train at Woodlawn Inn for his contest with Leach Cross at the Empire Athletic Club on Jan. 14. Rivers will begin his preparatory work to-day, and have as assistants his brother, Andy Rivers; Abdul the Turk, and two sparring partners. For the first two days Joe will limit his work to road runs, and on Thursday he will take up boxing and other indoor exercise. The weight of 133 pounds at the ringside will give Rivers little trouble, as he is not many pounds above that weight at present.

The new year will be ushered in at the Olympic Athletic Club with a matinee, when Young Mike Donovan will face Fighting Kennedy in the main event of ten rounds. If Young Mike earns the popular decision over Kennedy he will have established a record among novices at the game—a string of sixteen straight victories. Young Mike [illegible] professional ranks last [illegible] suffered a defeat. The [illegible] afternoon will be put on [illegible]

NEW YORK A. C. NOMINATIONS.

Prominent Men Are Named to Lead World's Foremost Sports Club.

With the posting of the ticket named by the recently elected Nominating Committee of the New York Athletic Club yesterday on the bulletin of the Winged Foot organization in the clubhouse in Central Park South it was the opinion of those who viewed the selections of the committee that they had framed a ticket for the ensuing year which it would be extremely hard to improve upon.

Devotees and advocates of nearly every pastime and game which the world's foremost sporting organization makes a bid for precedence in are noticeable in the makeup of the nominations for the major and minor offices to be balloted upon, with the success of which is expected to ensue a new epoch in the club's history making for a reconstruction in the athletic competitive forces which are said to have been on the wane for several years past. The ticket as posted is as follows: President, William H. Page; Vice President, James N. West, M. D.; Treasurer, Martin S. Paine; Secretary, Fred R. Fortmeyer; Captain, Paul H. Pilgrim. The Governors named for the ensuing two years are: Dr. B. F. O'Connor, John A. Topping, William H. Seaich, Matthew P. Halpin, Douglas Graham Smyth, Charles L. Leonori, Robert Appleton, and Charles H. Pond.

Each of these men has shown somewhat aggressive tendencies toward the cause of athletics in some form or other. In the main they have been identified with the competitive side of some game or other which they have a fancy for, several having been champions of America or the club in a special sport, making it the most representative all-round "rooters-for-sport" board which has probably ever been named for the Winged Foot.

These nominees will stand as the choice of the regulars, although the movement which promises to put them in office is stated to have received its impetus through the actions of the "insurgents," a number of men of the club who were dissatisfied with the suspension of many of the club athletes for minor infractions of the club's rules while abroad at the world's championship games in Stockholm, in which the wearers of the Winged Foot won more points than the members of any other organization in the world.

In connection with the foregoing nominations, it was stated yesterday that a renomination had been tendered the outgoing President, Col. Robert M. Thompson, who refused the honor because of pressure of business which compelled his absence from the city for extended periods. It was also stated that it was conceded that it was due to Col. Thompson that the most recent American Olympic team had had its great measure of success, due to his liberality in the matter of the steamer Finland, chartered for the team.

In the event of any ticket being named in opposition to the foregoing it must be posted, according to rule, ten days before the election, which will warrant its being bulletined by next Saturday night, as the election occurs on Jan. 14.

COMMON'S FAILURE AT STUD.

Death of Triple Crown Winner Recalls Disappointing Fact.

That a great racehorse may prove but a moderate sire in the stud was shown in the case of the great Triple Crown winner, Common, which died recently in England at the age of 25. Nothing could have been more convincing than Common's three-year-old Classic performance, when he won in succession the Two Thousand Guineas, Derby, and St. Leger in 1891. Sir John Blundell Maple bought Common from Lord Alington after his sequence of big successes for $75,000. Three times he had an offer from European breeders to buy the horse for $150,000, double the price he had himself paid for him, and each time he replied, "England wants Common; he is not for sale."

Bred by Lord Alington at the stud which produced Friar's Balsam, Matchbox, St. Blaise, and other brilliant performers, Common was a son of Isonomy out of Thistle. He was raced in partnership by Sir Frederic Johnstone, but never started as a two-year-old. Common made his debut on a racecourse on the afternoon he was saddled for the Two Thousand Guineas, and he won that race for Lord Alington. Then came the Derby, which he won easily at odds of 10 to 11. Next Common was seen at Ascot, where he had a very easy task to win the valuable St. James Palace Stakes. After this he was thought sure to win the Eclipse Stakes at Sandown Park, worth $55,000. But he was not at his best that day, and was only third to Surefoot and Gouverneur. His star was in the ascendant again when the day of the St. Leger arrived, for Common won the last race of the Classics, and so qualified for the distinction of ranking as a Triple Crown hero. Common never raced again.

He was sent to Sir Blundell Maple's stud at Childwick, and was freely patronized at a high fee, but, for a reason difficult to define, he never realized expectations. After the death of his owner he went to the Egerton stud at a comparatively small fee. Mushroom was about the best of his produce, the others being only mediocre. Common's fee at Childwick was $1,050, and was set down as the most disappointing stud horse of modern times. Common won $80,000 in stakes in 1891. When he died he was the property of a physician to whom he was presented by Lady Maple.

The death of Common has attracted attention to the value of the winnner of the Triple Crown. It is admitted that at present at least $150,000 could be obtained for such a stallion. It is reported that $250,000 has been refused for Bayardo, $200,000 for Lemberg, $200,000 for Prince Palatine, and $150,000 for the handicap horse Willony.

TRAVIS DEFAULTS IN GOLF.

Pinehurst Holiday Final to be Played by Crocker and Becker.

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 30.—Paul M. Hunter of Midlothian Club, Chicago, was eliminated from the contest in the semi-final round of the ninth annual Pinehurst holiday week golf tournament to-day when he missed a two-yard put on the home green. George H. Crocker of Brookline won from Hunter by a four-yard put, and will play C. L. Becker of Woodland in the finals to-morrow.

Crocker advanced to-day on the default of Walter J. Travis of Garden City. Hunter won in the morning play from Robert Gould Shaw of Brookline, two up and one to play.

Becker defeated W. E. Truesdale of Fox Hill, two up and one to play, in the early round, and won from I. S. Robeson, three up and one to play, this afternoon.

C. B. Hudson, Northfork, will play J. M. Thompson, Spring Haven, in the consolation final round to-morrow.

Seventy-first Regiment Games.

Followers of track and field sports hereabouts will have plenty to entertain them to-night at the games of the Seventy-first Regiment Athletic Association in the armory, Park Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street.

Among the stars who will be seen in competition will be Hannes Kolehemainen, the Finn Marathon champion. He will be seen against such champions as Louis Scott and Harry Smith.

Mel Sheppard, Abel Kiviat, Harry Lee, J. M. Burke of Lehigh University; Garvey, Belleville C. C.; Riley, Irish-American Athletic Club, and Matt Geis are also among the entries.

UNIFORM ATHLETIC RULES READY IN 1914

College Men Working on Plans to Wipe Out Conflicting Codes of Four Organizations.

The Committee on Track Rules of the National Collegiate Athletic Association had an informal conference yesterday noon with Gustavus T. Kirby, President of the Amateur Athletic Union, and Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America, in reference to the revision of track athletic rules. The conference was held at the Faculty Club at Columbia University, and although neither Mr. Kirby nor the representatives of the National Collegiate Association, Prof. W. A. Lambeth of the University of Virginia, Prof. F. W. Marvel of Brown University, and Frank Castleman, Physical Director of the University of Colorado, were able to reach a definite understanding or agreement, a great deal was accomplished, and it is probable that another meeting will be held shortly at which definite steps will be taken looking to the standardizing of track rules throughout the country.

At present four sets of track and field rules are in use in the United States. The A. A. U. rules predominate, but there are also the rules of the I. A. A. A. A., the National Collegiate Athletic Association, and the New England Intercollegiate Athletic Association, and it is in order to clear up the diffrences existing in these various rules that the four organizations wished to reach an understanding. For example, if Brown University holds a meet with Columbia, the rules of the I. A. A. A. A. would be used, while if it should meet Williams in a dual contest, both teams being members of the New England Association, would use the New England Association rules. Further, if Brown were to compete against the University of Chicago or one of a number of universities in the West and South, the rules of the National Collegiate Association would be used. Then, again, if a Brown University athlete were to compete in an open meet he would have to run or jump under the rules of the A. A. U.

The differences in the rules are not elemental, and the changes that would have to be made are not radical. The greatest differences are in the hurdles, broad-jump, and other field rules. There is also some questions as to the rules of starting and finishing. In the hurdles the A. A. U. and I. A. A. A. A., require the same kind of hurdles and permit the man to knock down only two without disqualification, on the other hand by the rules of the National Association of the New England Association the hurdles can be very lightly constructed, and the number left standing varies.

In the broad jump the take-off in the rules of the former organizations differs from that required by the rules of the latter. Also the rules of the National Collegiate Association allow a man only two trials in field events, while the rules of the I. A. A. A. A. and the A. A. U., give a man three chances.

As the A A U. does not hold its annual meeting until next November, it is hardly probable that anything definite can be done before that time, but in the meanwhile the National Collegiate Association through its committee will have a conference with the representatives of the I. A. A. A. A., and it is probable that the two will reach an agreement before the annual meeting of the I. A. A. A. A., which will be held in February. Then a committee representing the two big collegiate associations would be ready to join forces with the A. A. U., and make it certain that the revised rules would be ready for the Summer of 1914.

FIXED-SEAT ROWING TRIALS.

London Clubs to Test Novel Plan for Tideway Oarsmen.

Fixed-seat rowing is to be given a trial in England. The object of the race is to remove a difficulty which at present obstructs a general improvement in the condition of oarsmen. It is contended that the born oarsman is the exception rather than the rule, and in order to teach an oarsman to use his strength to advantage he must be thoroughly drilled into a style which will bring his most powerful muscles into play simultaneously. To do this it is suggested that fixed seats be used for tideway oarsmen. It is not generally known that several of the early Spring and Fall races at Oxford and Cambridge are rowed on fixed seats and that no man ever rows in his college boat until he has been through the "mill," and several clubs have taken the matter up seriously, considering it worthy to give it a fair trial. In discussing the proposed trial, a British rowing expert says:

> There is a great dearth of coaches, consequently novices do not get that expert and unremitting attention which is essential if they are to become good oarsmen, by putting them on slides at once. Almost any one who has rowed for any length of time is competent to coach men on fixed seats, but the difficulty is to get novices to submit to what they, in their lack of knowledge and experience, deem an indignity. Therefore, if the prospect of a race against other clubs could be held out to them, it is believed they would be more tractable. At present they do not realize what a lot there is to learn in order to entitle themselves to the description "oarsman." Even if this difficulty did not exist, it is more than likely that the majority of novices would more certainly qualify if they commenced their education on fixed seats. Rowing differs from the majority of sports and pastimes—e. g., cricket, football, and running—in that a man takes part in these, or does not do so, accordingly as he is naturally able or not able.
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> On the other hand, the born oarsman is a rara avis, but this is compensated for by the fact that any intelligent person not physically deformed can be taught to row. In order to use his strength to the best advantage it is necessary for him to be drilled into a style which will bring his most powerful muscles into play simultaneously. These muscles are they which cause bending of the body at the knees and hips, (not waist.) The action of extending the legs sharply is a familiar one to all—not so, however, the action of causing the trunk and thighs to spring violently away from each other after having been brought near together. Consequently the novice, put on a slide straightaway, invariably performs the former action first, instead of absolutely synchronizing them, so that instead of his body shutting up like the bars of a lift gate when he reaches forward, and extending in one piece from the stretcher, as by an explosion, his slide is pushed feebly away, and then his body collapses backward. It is considered that preliminary practice on fixed seats will so exercise the unaccustomed muscles of the loins, &c., that they will become capable of making this lightninglike movement.
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> Another difficulty in the way, at any rate, as far as the smaller clubs are concerned, is the fact that it is not possible at present to hire fixed-seat eights at Putney or Hammersmith owing to the boat letters having been compelled to supply the demand for slides. Once create a demand, however, and the supply should follow, as usual.

BRICKLEY MAY BE BARRED.

Athlete's Standing at Harvard Causing Considerable Concern.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 30.—The same ruling which barred Paul Withington, the sensational Harvard athlete, from participation in amateur contests, may make Charley Brickley, the star football player and all around athlete, ineligible to compete in 'Varsity contests. This question is worrying the Harvard athletic authorities.

Brickley, who has been working his way through college, has taken money for a number of jobs which were more or less indirectly connected with his football ability, and he has also acted as correspondent for newspapers. In addition he has accepted a position from a firm of tailors in New York, which some people declare was obtained through his record as an athlete.

This, according to the ruling of the Amateur Athletic Union in Withington's case, is professionalism. Of course, there has been a great deal of this thing that a large number of people would like to see eliminated. But why the indirect profits from his football should class Brickley as a professional is puzzling the Harvard men.

Meanwhile, Brickley holds the unique position of being in danger of disbarment from the gridiron, and also of losing the Captaincy the coming year.

Hundreds of football players have done the same thing that Brickley has before now without being troubled by the A. A. U. All the Harvard football players get free rides to New Haven and back. They get free hotel accommodations for two or three days, and they are guests at theatre parties, dinners and other such functions.

If the case comes before the Amateur Athletic Union there would be an interesting problem to solve.

PHYSICAL DIRECTORS MEET.

Dr. Phillips Criticises Management of Athletes' Trip to Stockholm.

The Society of Directors of Physical Education held their sixteenth annual meeting at Columbia University yesterday. Representatives of thirty colleges and universities in the Eeast and Middle West were on hand and discussed the problems of properly administering physical education.

Dr. Paul C. Phillips, Secretary of the society and Director of Physical Education at Amherst College, caused a sensation at the afternoon session by declaring that the training facilities of the steamer Finland, on which the Olympic team went to Stockholm last year, were quite different from what they were supposed to be, and were inadequate. "It is a wonder that our athletes did as well as they did," said Dr. Phillips, "considering the fact that they were very poorly taken care of.

"In the first place, the Olympic Committee should have sent a score or more assistant trainers to work under Mike Murphy, who found it a physical impossibility to work personally with a squad of 150 men. Facilities were bad for taking care of the men on shipboard, and there was only one rubber, who charged 25 cents for each rub down. Many of the athletes said afterward that it was worth more than a quarter not to be rubbed down.

"There was no room for real practice on the ship, and the swimming tank was almost a farce. The deck, which was used for a track, was hard, and the motion of the ship made it practically impossible for the runners to maintain their stride. Hereafter it would be better if the Olympic Committee would spend a few thousand dollars more in providing suitable facilities for the men en route to the games in order that they should not have to break their training. I would also advise that only the trainers and the athletes be taken on the ship, for it would probably lead to better feeling among the athletes, and there would not be the same opportunities for social discrimination in the team itself that marked the team that has recently come back from Stockholm."

Dr. Phillips showed between 200 and 300 lantern slides of pictures taken during the games, and said that it was marvelous to behold the surprising development that had taken place among the European countries in the matter of physical development since the games in Shepherds Bush in 1908.

At the sessions of the conference several important papers were read. Dr. J. H. McCurdy spoke on "Ventilation Problems," and Dr. Joseph E. Raycroft, Physical Director at Princeton University, had a paper on "Material and Equipment." Dr. D. A. Sargent, Physical Director at Harvard, read a paper on "The Psychic Side of Physical Education." At the afternoon meeting Dr. R. Tait McKenzie led the discussion on "The Reorganization of the Central Institute at Stockholm," and Dr. Phillips, in addition to describing the Olympic games, read a paper on the "Jaques Dalcroze College of Dancing at Dresden."

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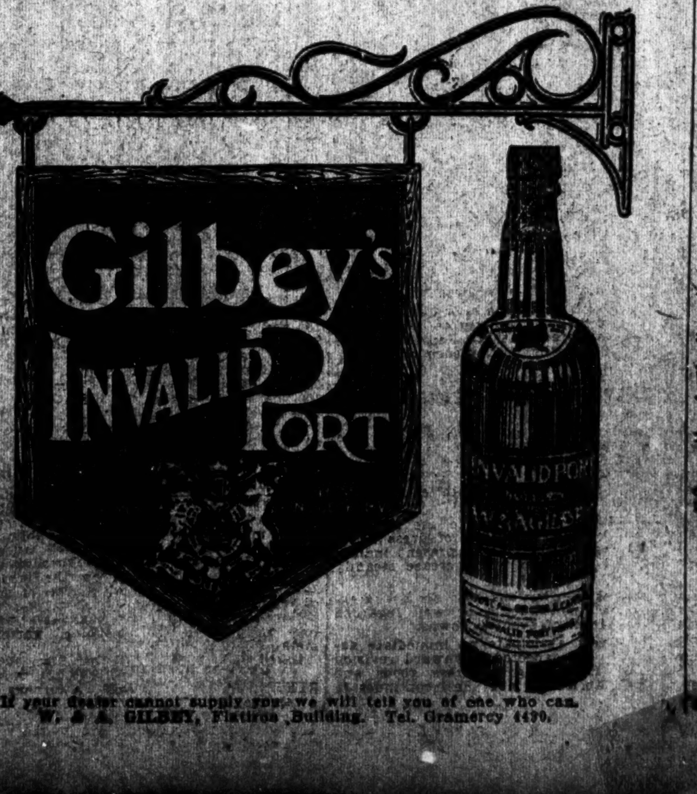

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LOCAL BUSINESS TOO HEAVY

If It Was Turned Over at Once Merchants Say the Post Offices Would Be Swamped.

The Government's parcel post will be welcomed by the big department stores in this city. A tour of the stores yesterday led to the conclusion that the new system would work to the benefit of the stores and the consumers. The greatest enthusiasm was shown by the men in charge of the mail order departments, and they were practically unanimous in the belief that the parcel post would open up new trade in country districts, which now could not be reached.

Two important points brought up were whether the Government could attempt to handle the tons of goods that would be poured in on it if the department stores gave it their "local business," and what the danger of delay in the delivery of goods might be. At present, it was pointed out, because of the perfected delivery service which has been built up by the stores it was possible to promise purchases to customers at a given time and be sure that the goods would be delivered as promised. The stores thought it doubtful that they could depend upon the parcel post for service of that kind.

Everywhere it was said, however, that the department stores would take advantage of the parcel post where it proved an advantage to them, and no opposition to it was voiced. In fact, most of the merchants said that the stores had been fighting for it for a long time.

Sylvester Byrnes, superintendent of R. H. Macy & Co., said that he hoped for great things from the parcel post. "Our present disposition," said he, "is this: We don't propose to use it except where we have to for the next month or six weeks. There are two reasons for holding off. To give all our business to the Post Office would probably deluge that department with matter it could not hope to handle now, and it would not be fair either to the Post Office or our customers.

"This is a gigantic undertaking for the Post Office and it may not be able to handle it at the beginning. We don't want to swamp the Post Office right at the start."

A consensus of opinion was that the Post Office officials would throw up their hands if they found themselves facing the problem of distributing all parcels under eleven pounds in weight in New York City. John R. Butler, a member of Simpson, Crawford & Co., which also controls the Fourteenth Street Store, spoke of this.

"I want to say first," he told a TIMES reporter, "that I believe the parcel post is a wonderful thing and destined to be a great benefit to the whole country, but I believe the Post Office Department would be snowed under if a business such as ours was unloaded on it. The department would be snowed under so deep that it wouldn't find itself in six months. I don't think it is fair to expect the Government with its untried organization and limited appropriation to do as well as we can after years of experience in the business. We will not use the parcel post in this city or the suburbs at present. As to the mail order department, that is a somewhat different matter."

Speaking from the point of view of the mail order men Walter Van Aken, head of the mail order department of Gimbel's, was high in his praise of the new Government system. Greater benefits than anybody could foresee at the present time would result, he predicted.

At Wanamaker's it was said that the management had great confidence in the ability of the Government to fulfill its contract with the people, and that the parcel post would undoubtedly be used to a large extent by that store.

At practically all of the stores the new parcel post had been receiving much attention, and preparations were being made to take advantage of it. Already the stores were receiving letters from out-of-town firms and consumers asking whether they were going to use the new system, and what their arrangements were.

SLUMP IN EXPRESS STOCKS.

American Sells for $160, Which Is Lower Than Ever Before.

The stocks of the leading express companies, all of which are listed on the Stock Exchange, have been weak for more than a year past, and have suffered some severe declines since the parcel post became imminent. The only Express shares to appear in yesterday's trading were those of the American Express, which sold 175 at $160 a share. This was a decline of 10 points from the last sale, which in itself represented a decline of $9 a share during last week. At $160 the price compares with the year's high price of $220 a share made on April 6, and with $245, which was the high price of 1911. The stock never has been so low as yesterday's price since 1901, when it sold at $142 a share.

SEND WOLFMAN TO JAIL.

Affidavits That Doctor Was Leaving Country to Avoid Wife's Suit.

Dr. Philip Wolfman, brother-in-law of Joe Weber, was arrested yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Fitzsimmons, and went to the Ludlow Street Jail rather than put up a bond of $2,000, although he told his friend, Sheriff Harburger, that he could easily raise the bail. The bond is required on an order signed by Justice Seabury for Wolfman's presence at the hearing of the suit for separation which his wife brought against him on July 19 on the ground of cruel treatment.

It had been learned that Dr. Wolfman had applied for a passport, and Justice Seabury signed the order on affidavits that the physician intended to give up his practice here and move to Europe. When the Deputy Sheriff went yesterday to the physician's office, at 105 East Nineteenth Street, he found everything packed. The physician refused either to deny or affirm that he was leaving the city, and his arrest followed.

Asks Dismissal of Wood Indictment.

James R. Ely, counsel for James T. Wood, former Vice President of the Washington Savings Bank and at present under indictment for making a false report to the State Banking Department on Nov. 2, 1910, appeared before Judge O'Sullivan in General Sessions yesterday and moved to have the indictment dismissed. He said that Wood was offered up as a sacrifice to the depositors, who wanted a victim. Mr. Ely said if the District Attorney had given the case sufficient investigation he would have seen that there was no foundation for the indictment. Judge O'Sullivan reserved decision.

Investigating Cereal Trust.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—The Federal Grand Jury's investigation of the Quaker Oats Company, with a view to prosecution under the anti-trust law, was begun here to-day. It is alleged that by the purchase of the Great Western Cereal Company the Quaker Oats Company obtained a monopoly of the prepared cereal business.

Dealers Cannot Qualify Weights.

ALBANY, Dec. 30.—Dealers are not permitted to place the word "average," with or without another qualifying clause, on a package in connection with a statement of the weight of its contents, according to an opinion of Attorney General Carmody to-day on that phase of the Brooks container law passed by the last Legislature.

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THE BUSINESS WORLD

WILL BOOM CANNED GOODS.

Week of Publicity Planned as Defense Against Attacks.

Complaining that they have been treated unjustly by the newspapers of the country, handlers of canned goods throughout the United States are preparing to show the people that the canneries are run under sanitary conditions. One of the steps to be undertaken by the National Canned Goods Publicity Committee, which has charge of the work, is the holding of a "National Canned Food Week," the object and proposed date of which are set forth in the following letter from S. W. Seeman of Seeman Brothers, Chairman of the New York branch of the committee. The letter has been sent out by Mr. Seeman to the interior trade, and says in part:

> You are, no doubt, familiar with the sensational and derogatory matter that has appeared in the public press of late in reference to canned goods.
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> These unfair attacks, based on information obtained by biased investigators, have done great harm to the industry by creating a prejudice in the minds of the consuming public. It is necessary to effectually check this popular impression or the whole future of the business, both from the standpoint of distributors and canners, will be threatened.
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> A National Canned Foods Publicity Committee has been formed and it is proposed to augment their efforts by local committees in the various large trade centres. A systematic campaign of education is to be conducted; the purity and wholesomeness of canned foods will be demonstrated by scientific research carried on in co-operation with the public authorities, and from such activities much valuable knowledge will undoubtedly be gained for the still further advancement of the industry and the enlightenment of Legislators and food officials in the enforcement and enactment of intelligent food legislation.
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> Expert legal advice must be had, and assistance given to those canners and distributors, who may be the targets for these unjust attacks, either in the courts or in the newspapers. One of the features of this campaign of publicity will be the "National Canned Food Week," to be held, probably in April next, when everybody will be expected to exploit and talk canned foods.

A number of prominent New York houses have already subscribed to the $10,000 share of the "war fund" to be supplied by the local trade.

The local branch of the National Committee is made up of S. W. Seeman, Chairman; A. L. North, W. D. Breaker, and M. W. Houck. The head office of the committee, of which C. E. Wilcox of Sprague, Warner & Co., is Chairman, is in Chicago.

SHOE INVENTORIES NOW.

Year's Business Practically Over—Hides and Leather.

Business has been at a low ebb in the local shoe trade in the last few days. Spot business is never very heavy at this particular period of the year, and road business has been minimized by many of the men coming home over the holidays. Inventories are now engaging the principal attention of the staffs of the local houses. In certain quarters of the market it is said the 1912 carryover will be fully as large as that of last year, due to prolonged unfavorable climatic conditions.

Domestic country hides continued their downward course during the week, but foreign hides steadied here under improved buying by European tanners. Packer hides were quiet, and quotations were largely nominal.

The leather market was generally quiet and firm, excepting in cases where the tanners were indulging in the usual pre-inventory clean-up. Shoe leathers were especially firm. Considerable activity is expected to develop in upholstery leathers within the next few weeks.

ADVICE TO CORPORATIONS.

Connecticut Public Utilities Body Tells Them to Stick to Their Lasts.

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 30.—Enactment of laws to bring about closer scrutiny of corporations operating as public service companies, to prohibit effectively the merger or consolidation of such companies without the approval of the Public Utilities Commission, and an investigation into the condition of the water supply of the State and its conservation are recommended in the first annual report of the Connecticut Public Utilities Commission transmitted to Gov. Baldwin to-day.

The engagement of a public service company in any business "more or less foreign to the chartered purposes of the parent company" is condemned, the commission declaring:

"We believe that the net income and profits of any public service company, after the payment of reasonable dividends, should be used for the improvement of the plant and equipment of such company, rather than in unwarranted expansion or the acquisition, management and control of business and property more or less foreign to the chartered purposes of the parent company."

In the period covered by the report there were 2,312 accidents, resulting in death to 168 persons and injury to 2,144 persons. Of the deaths 105 occurred on the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company lines, and 37 on the Connecticut Company's trolley lines. In all 178 companies reported to the commission.

CALL MILL WAGES HIGH.

Employers Blame Agitators for the Little Falls Strike.

LITTLE FALLS, Dec. 30.—With statements by representatives of textile mills in defense of wage scales and hours of work, the State Board of Arbitration's investigation of the recent strike practically was ended to-day. It was understood the hearing this afternoon was the last public session. The board will conduct a private inquiry to-morrow.

John McLoughlin, manager of the Phoenix Mills, and J. J. Gilbert of the Gilbert Knitting Company testified that employes quit work without giving notice of their demands. They blamed outside agitators for the strike. They said they paid wages as high as any mills elsewhere in the Mohawk Valley, and asserted operatives under the new fifty-four-hour schedule could make more money than under former conditions.

The employers showed pay rolls to substantiate statements that several previous witnesses had testified falsely concerning wages. A difference of $4 a week was noted in one instance. The managers said they would take back without discrimination strikers who would apply as individuals.

Police Chief Long testified he did not attack women, as had been alleged, and that in the riot he only defended himself. He said his orders to the police were not to use clubs except in self-defense. He denied stories of police clubbing.

NATIONAL BANKS' SHOWING.

November Call Shows Large Increases in Loans and Deposits.

Compilations of the returns to the Controller of the Currency of the 7,420 National banks in the United States answering his call for reports of condition as of Nov. 26 last show heavy increases in loans and deposits over the corresponding reports of last year and a decrease in cash of $3,695,460.

Total resources of the banks were $10,963,788,617, which is an increase of $332,331,457 over the returns on the call of Dec. 5, 1911, and of $2,887,857 over the call of Sept. 4 last. Loans were $6,058,982,029, an increase of $399,872,202 over the December, 1911 call and of $18,140,758 over the September, 1912, call. Specie and legal tender totaled $859,098,737, which was a shrinkage of $36,852,356 since the September call and of $3,695,460 since the December, 1911, call. Individual deposits of $5,944,561,069 represented an increase of $52,891,062 since the September call, an advance in this item of $408,578,788 since the December, 1911, call.

Amounts due other banks made a total of $2,101,805,683, which was a falling off of $75,662,975 since the previous call, but an increase of $10,699,339 since the call of Dec. 5, 1911.

LUMBER OUTPUT DECREASES.

More Than a Third of Output from Pacific and Southern States.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—A preliminary statement of the National output of lumber, lath, and shingles in the United States in 1911, 1910, 1909, and 1908, was issued to-day by E. Dana Durand, Census Director. The reported production of lumber in 1911 by 28,107 mills was 37,003,207 M feet board measure, as against 40,018,282 M feet board measure reported by 31,934 mills in 1910; 44,509,761 M feet reported by 48,112 mills in 1909, and 33,224,369 M feet reported by 31,231 mills in 1908. The data for 1911, 1910, and 1908 were gathered by correspondence and, although including the cut of practically all the larger or commercial plants for those years, do not cover the operations of many of the neighborhood or custom mills. The totals for 1911 and 1910 do not include the output of any mill which reported a product of less than 50 M feet. The decreases in 1911 as compared with 1910 of about 4,000 mills and 3,000,000,000 feet board measure of lumber doubtless were due in part to a delay of two months in mailing the schedule cards to the manufacturers in 1912.

Almost 36 per cent. of the total cut was reported from Washington, Louisiana, Mississippi, Oregon, and North Carolina.

The reported cut of softwood lumber in 1911 was 28,902,388 M feet board measure, or 78.1 per cent. of the production from all woods, while that of hardwood lumber amounted to 8,100,819 M feet board measure, or 21.9 per cent. The slightly larger proportion of the total production supplied by softwoods in 1911, as compared with the figures for the preceding year, is a logical result of the drift in the lumber industry to regions which chiefly are coniferous or softwood.

The five leading species cut in 1911 were yellow pine, Douglas fir, white pine, oak, and hemlock, the aggregate output from those woods being 26,835,285 M feet, or 72.5 per cent. of the total. Yellow pine alone supplied 12,896,706 M feet board measure, or 34.9 per cent. while oak, the leading hardwood, contributed 3,098,444 M feet, or 8.4 per cent.

NEW PARLOR CAR SERVICE.

Details of Transfer by New Haven Road to Pullman Company.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 30.—Announcement is made to-day by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, giving particulars of the transfer of the parlor and sleeping car service of the corporation to the Pullman Company.

The transfer will be made under a signed contract dated Jan. 1, 1913, and will run for twenty years. The Pullman Company will take over the parlor and sleeping cars of the New Haven, paying, it is understood, about $3,500,000, and will supply steel cars progressively, the first replacement being on the "limited" trains.

All of the employes of the New Haven service will be retained, their pay and relative positions being unchanged. The step is taken by the New Haven Company, it is explained, in order to comply with the recommendation of the Inter-State Commerce Commission in regard to sleeping cars.

BANKING GROWS IN YEAR.

Tightness of Money Month Ago Shown by Reports to Controller.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Reports from National banks to the Controller of the Currency in response to the call of Nov. 26, reflect the tightness of money at that time, but show a marked growth of banking in the last year, according to Treasury officials. Many parts of the country reported decreases in cash and deposits, as compared with conditions on Sept. 4, the date of the preceding call. The aggregate loans, cash and deposits of all the National banks on Nov. 26 were:

Loans, $6,058,982,029, a gain over Sept. 4, 1912, of $18,140,758, and over Dec. 5, 1911, of $399,872,202.

Cash, $859,098,737, a decrease since Sept. 4 of $36,852,356, and since Dec. 5, 1911, of $3,695,450.

Deposits, $5,944,561,069, a gain over Sept. 4 of $52,891,062, and over Dec. 5, 1911, of $408,578,788.

LATEST CUSTOMS RULINGS.

Cotton Shawls Mistaken for Silk—Free Entry for Celery Seed.

The Board of United States General Appraisers yesterday sustained a protest by the Ely & Walker Dry Goods Company of St. Louis on shawls, assessed at 60 per cent. ad valorem under Paragraph 390, Tariff act of 1897, as manufactures of silk. After an analysis by the Government chemist, the board upheld the importers' claim for similitude to cotton apparel and 50 per cent. ad valorem under Paragraph 314.

A protest by the Adolf Kraut Company was sustained on supercalendered imitation parchment paper, known as glassine, pergamyn, or parchmyn. It was assessed at 4½ cents a pound, under Paragraph 411, act of 1909, as paper with a surface design. The board found it should have paid 2 cents a pound and 10 per cent. ad valorem under the same paragraph, as greaseproof and imitation parchment paper, supercalendered and rendered transparent, or partially so.

J. Kissock & Co. obtained exemption on wild celery seed, assessed at 10 cents a pound as seeds not specially provided for. The importers established that it was aromatic seed, and as such belonged on the free list.

CONSULAR TRADE NOTES.

The value of the exports to the United States declared through the London Consulate General in the nine months ended Sept. 30, 1912, was $120,164,252, an increase of $32,983,217 over the declared value for the corresponding period of 1911 and the largest total for the first three quarters of any year in the history of the Consulate General.

Traction plows are being increasingly used all over South Africa. Two have just been introduced into the Cradock district. At the recent irrigation congress at Oudtshoorn it was urged that in order to encourage the use of motor tractors a rebate should be allowed on railway rates for oils, paraffin, and petrol.

The National Railways of Mexico have for some time been considering the erection of a hospital for the benefit of their employes and have now definitely decided to commence this work some time during the month of January, 1913. The hospital will be erected on lands belonging to the company near Popotla, a suburb of Mexico City.

BUSINESS NOTES.

According to recent advices from the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, Italy, the estimated coffee crop of Brazil for this season is 1,322,720,000 pounds. The estimated crop of Argentina wheat, as shown by the same report, is 235,161,000 bushels.

Imports of wines entered at the Port of New York in the week ended Dec. 21 were valued at $97,654. Champagne imports totaled $27,412 and receipts of beer amounted to $33,307. Imports of whisky and stout were valued at $41,386 and $40,959, respectively.

The Royal Jewelry Manufacturing Company, formerly at 520 Broadway, has taken new quarters in the building at 126 Fifth Avenue, corner of Eighteenth Street. It occupies the entire second loft at that address.

The Rauchbach-Goldsmith Company, Newark, N. J., trunk manufacturers, will open a New York salesroom at 215 Fourth Avenue about Jan. 10 for the convenience of out-of-town buyers.

SIDELIGHTS ON SELLING.

Little diminution of the demand for white hosiery on the part of consumers is looked for in the local knit goods market during the coming Spring and Summer. Half-hose and stockings of this color are both expected to move freely.

Poplins are rapidly coming to the front as one of the most popular types of dress goods for the coming season. From present indications the call for them will increase steadily as the season advances.

Small rhinestone buttons, set in delicately colored crystal, continue to be well regarded for the decoration of evening gowns.

Because buyers anticipate no immediate assistance from the expected downward revision of Schedule K, buying of dress goods and men's wear fabrics for next Fall continues to keep up well.

NEW JERSEY WILL LEND MARKER TAGS

After Jan. 1 Motorist Who Loses License Number May Borrow One from Department.

One of the problems which had been worrying not a few automobile users across the river in Jersey has now been satisfactorily cleared up by Job H. Lippencott, State Motor Vehicle Commissioner. It concerned the use of substitute markers or numbers when the original license had been lost. The accident of dropping off a marker is by no means uncommon, as any motorist knows, but the Jersey law forbids the use of fictitious markers, and the motorist has been, consequently, on the horns of a dilemma. A letter from L. A. Vorhees, Secretary of the Middlesex Automobile Club, to Commissioner Lippencott made clear the position of one who had suffered such a loss.

"It would seem to me," Mr. Vorhees wrote, "that a man who has lost a marker should be able to go to any office of registration, display his pocket card showing his number, make affidavit that the official marker or markers have been lost, and, for a small fee, receive a painted tin blank with the official seal on it, on which could be stenciled in correct color the number of his original registration. At any rate, some means should be provided by which an honest loser of his tags might get his car home without risk of the $500 fine or sixty days imprisonment suggested in the proposed amendment."

To this leter the Commissioner replied that commencing Jan. 1 there would be no need for manufactured or fictitious markers, for the reason that the system of lending temporary official markers, in all cases where markers had been lost, would be established.

It is the plan to have these markers available at any agency in the State where they can be obtainable on proof of identity.

Here, in New York State the process is already somewhat similar to that proposed for New Jersey. When a New Yorkers loses his license tag he may not make a plate to take its place, but must apply to the Secretary of State's office, make affidavit of loss, pay $1 and receive a temporary tag while a new one is being made.

Among those who have accepted the invitation of the Big Village Boosters to their annual beefsteak at the Murray Hill Lyceum on Jan. 14 are many prominent "old timers" who have been identified with the automobile industry from its infancy, men who built cars before the year 1900. On the list are Charles E. Duryea of Saginaw, Mich.; Louis Clarke of Ardmour, Penn.; Elwood Haynes of Kokomo, Ind.; J. Frank Duryea of Chicopee Falls, Mass.; John Brisben Walker of San Francisco, Cal.; A. L. Riker of Bridgeport, Conn.; A. L. Pope of Hartford, Conn.; D. P. Doris of St. Louis, Mo.; Charles Metz of Waltham, Mass.; Howard Coffin of Detroit, Mich.; Wally Owen, and S. J. Newman of Chicago.

It will be recalled by many pioneers that some fifteen years ago Mr. Walker was honored guest at the dinner given to the men who had courage to act as judges for an automobile race run between New York and the Ardsley Country Club, in which there were sixteen starters, of which number only four cars finished the race after numerous stops for repairs. For this contest he offered a prize of $3,000. With him on this committee were the late John Jacob Astor, Frank Thomson, President of the Pennsylvania Railroad; Vice President Webb of the New York Central, now dead, Gen. Nelson A. Miles and Chauncey M. Depew are the only members now living.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

PLANET OUTFITTING COMPANY.—A petition has been filed against the Planet Outfitting Company, dealer in dry goods and notions, White Plains, by these creditors: Charles S. Rich, $149; E. Es System Company, $287, and Cohen & Blumenfield, $82. Judge Holt appointed Lawrence L. Driggs receiver, bond $1,500. The assets are $3,000.

KRIMKO BROTHERS.—A petition has been filed against Jacob and William H. Krimko, composing the firm of Krimko Brothers, outfitters for women, misses, and children, 1,028 Third Avenue, by these creditors: Reliable Woolen Company, $42; Bercowitz, Cooper & Green, $42; Siegel Brothers, $68; B. Asner & Stalkenberg, $273, and A. Stein & David, $133. Judge Holt appointed Henry A. Stickney receiver, under a bond of $1,500, and he may continue the business for ten days. The assets are estimated at $3,000.

CARL SILBERMAN.—A petition has been filed against Carl Silberman, dealer in men's and women's furnishing goods, 910 Longwood Avenue, the Bronx, by these creditors: Mayer & Fischel, $400; Weiss & Goldstein, $319, and Moses Seligman, $50. The liabilities are $9,000 and assets $2,500. Judge Holt appointed Edward A. Sumner receiver, with authority to continue business ten days.

ALEX. M. COPSTEIN of 156 West Ninety-eighth Street has filed a petition, with liabilities of $1,659 and no assets. He formerly had a farm at Jewett in the Catskills, in which he invested all his money, and his equity of $4,500 was wiped out by foreclosure of a mortgage.

GARRISON L. LIEBERMAN.—Judge Holt has dismissed the petition filed on Sept. 6 against Garrison L. Lieberman, jobber in woolens, 105 Orchard Street, on a settlement at 30 cents on the dollar, payable 20 cents cash and 10 cents in notes.

ALEX GOLDNER.—Judge Holt has dismissed the petition filed on Feb. 6 against Alex Goldner, who did business as the Broadway Auto Top and Body Company, 136 West Fifty-fourth Street, as the petitioning creditors did not appear yesterday when the case was called in court.

ABRAHAM SCHWARTZ.—Judge Holt has dismissed the petition filed on Aug. 2 against Abraham Schwartz, installment dealer, 36 East Broadway, as the petitioning creditors did not put in an appearance at the hearing before the referee.

G. L. BRUCK & SON.—Judge Holt has confirmed a composition of G. L. Bruck & Son, wholesale grocers, 331 East 103d Street, with creditors at 30 cents on the dollar, cash. The liabilities were $82,578.

ISRAEL NAYOR.—Judge Holt has appointed Henry M. Baird receiver for Israel Nayor, dealer in dry goods, Yonkers, bond $5,000, with authority to continue business ten days.

ROSE LOEWENHEIM.—Judge Holt has appointed Carleton S. Cooke receiver for Rose Loewenheim, modiste, 509 Fifth Avenue, bond $750.

MAX KAUFMAN.—Schedules of Max Kaufman, manufacturer of picture frames, 65 Ludlow Street, show liabilities $8,175, and assets $1,070.

CLARA KRASNE, grocer, 127 West 135th Street, has made an assignment to Mendel Schulman.

RUDOLPH KLEYBOLTE.—A meeting of creditors of Rudolph Kleybolte of Rudolph Kleybolte & Co., formerly bankers, 27 Pine Street, was held yesterday at the office of William H. Willis, referee in bankruptcy, 82 Beaver Street, and L. Harding Rogers, the receiver, was elected Trustee, with a bond of $5,000. The schedules showed liabilities of $3,175,483 and nominal assets of $123,693.

Discharges in Bankruptcy.

Judge Holt granted discharges yesterday to these bankrupts:

LOUIS and JACOB HIRSCH, doing business as Hirsch's Hat Works, 31 Bond Street; liabilities, $38,593.
LOUIS KUTNER, salesman, 119 Trinity Avenue; liabilities, $973.
CHARLES W. MOFFATT, general store, Stamford; liabilities, $23,182.
ALBERT POTTER, upholsterer, 201 East Thirty-seventh Street; liabilities, $2,438.
HARRY RICHMAN, custom peddler, 217 East 113th Street; liabilities, $3,187.
JACOB STARK, baker, 166 West 120th Street; liabilities, $4,028.
ABRAM STRELLOW, furs, 36 West Twenty-eighth Street; liabilities, $4,749.
CHARLES E. WHIGAM, farmer, Montgomery; liabilities, $8,465.

JUDGMENTS ENTERED.

The following judgments for amounts more than $100 were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

Arnowitz, Morris—A. D. Katcher et al., $111.
Allen, John R.—E. J. Meyers et al., $202.
Antopolski, Morris—L. Stern, $190.
Burrell, Edward—City of New York, costs, $118.
Burrell, Edward, guardian—Same, costs, $118.
Bell, Robert W.—Emil Fleischl & Son, $284.
Berkowitz, Max—City of New York, $264.
Brasjones, Anton—Same, $264.
Bohlken, George N.—F. H. Hines, $113.
Bowers, Ogden H.—C. A. Tucker, costs, $151.
Borrelli, Costanze—N. Charlat, $196.
Brown, George—E. Siegel, $424.
Bingham, Richard J.—Henry Kelly & Sons, $808.
Coogan, W. Gordon—F. S. Hutchins, $476.
Carey, Harry D.—National Printing and Engraving Co., $365.
Dailey, William—J. Dailey, costs, $121.
Daniel, Richard C.—E. V. McFadden, $217.
Dressler, Anna—G. W. Walker, $3,605.
Elfman, Samuel—M. Finkelstein et al., $235.
Flank, Michael L.—K. Griffin, $863.
Frankenthaler, Benjamin—Tenement House Department, $272.
Friend, Barnet, and Wolf Flaxman—City of New York, $264.
Frankenthaler, Mary—Tenement House Department, $272.
Friedman, William H.—S. Goldenkranz, $144.
Goldfarb, William—Max Siegel, Inc., $102.
Goldfarb, William and Ida—Max Siegel, Inc., $131.
Glockner, Valentine—F. J. Finck, $115.
Gleckle, Barnet—Tenement House Department, $262.
Gillig, John G.—Tenement House Department, $262.
Griffin, Sylvester—N. M. Brown, $309.
Joly, Louise L.—Freeport Bank, $297.
Keirns, Samuel F.—J. H. Kierns, $673.
Krulewitch, Emanuel M.—Seamen's Bank for Savings, $2,853.
Kutner, Estelle—D. D. Lindenborn, $328.
King, Eleanor R. and James M.—Northern Bank of New York, $148.
Kraus, David—Northern Bank of New York, $237.
Keeler, John C.—A. R. Levy, $228.
Kleinfeld, Isaac, and Isaac Rothfeld—Metropolitan Trust Co. of City of New York, $2,650.
Laux, Carolle, adm.—City of New York, costs, $120.
Less, Louis—Tenement House Dept., $262.
Lewis, Joseph—J. Schreiner, $143.
Merwin, Horace, Jr.—Brooks Bros., $146.
McGuire, Joseph P.—A. McGuire, costs, $114.
Mayper, Fannie, and Abraham Kommel—People's Bank of the City of New York, $829.
Myers, Maurice—Tenement House Dept., $272.
McCormick, Sarah—Same, $262.
Moore, Laura M. (not summoned,) and John C., executors—Tenement House Dept., $262.
O'Connor, Edmund—J. P. Mulqueen, $420.
Poth, John—City of New York, $264.
Padula, James H—H. G. Weiss, $302.
Rose, Samuel—I. Benowitz, $174.
Redman, Mary A.—C. Focassi, $1,521.
Ripke, Herman—A. C. Wiener, $104.
Reilly, Thomas A. and Patrick—J. Wetsell, $10,130.
Sollinger, Morris D.—Tenement House Dept., $262.
Southgate, Henry—Lord & Taylor, $205.
Seymour, Frederick—C. A. Tucker, costs, $151.
Showalter, Edna B.—Henry W. Savage, Inc., costs, $107.
Stetler, Caroline S.—M. I. Knapp, $149.
Smith, Milton—W. R. Owens, $164.
Steinhardt, Jennie—Harriman National Bank of City of New York, $421.
Schwartz, Julius M.—M. Roth, $215.
Thornton, Ellis—L. B. Weisel, $519.
Vale, Travers—National Printing and Engraving Co., $433.
Weissager, Alexander—Meyer Goldberg & Sons, $133.
Wall, Liela B.—City of New York, $264.
Wexler, Rosie—M. A. Elias, $159.
Broadway and 96th Street Realty Co.—City of New York, $264.
Mayden Realty and Construction Co.—Tenement House Department, $262.
August Belmont Hotel Co.—J. E. Mayhew, costs, $101.
Ocean View Cemetery—Ocean View Cemetery Creditors Adjustment Co., Inc., $12,692.
American Printing Telegraph Securities Corporation—Multigraphed Letter Co., $138.
Maier-Usoskin Co.—T. Morgan, $201.
Stiles & Merriam, Inc.—P. O'Flynn, $182.
Harmony Oil Co., Moe H. Baron, and Nettie Baron—Montauk Bank, $2,814.
Globe Storage and Carpet Cleaning Co.—A. Gulick, $800.
Buckley Cartwright Co.—Knickerbocker Silk Co., $788.

JUDGMENTS SATISFIED.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor and the date that when judgment was filed:

Seymour, Frederick—C. A. Tucker, June 24, 1912, $151.
United Surety Company—D. Musco, Dec. 18, 1912, $900.
Carroll, Mary E.—D. Quinn, June 3, 1912, $152.
Carter, Mary A.—G. A. Thompson, Oct. 18, 1912, $120.
Erie Transfer Co.—E. Costello, Dec. 28, 1911, $2,631.
Flagler, John B.—G. A. Wilson, April 2, 1912, $1,238.
Hydrolithic Cement Company—Waterproofing Company, Dec. 14, 1912, $230.
Jacobs, Edwin—E. R. Wolff, Nov. 1, 1912, $218.
Kayser, Julius—M. Craven, Dec. 23, 1912, $6,138.
Kashowitz, Morris—L. Schwartzreich, Nov. 29, 1912, $2,931.
Lillibridge, Ray D.—Broadway Building Co., April 15, 1912, $557.
Modern Woodmen of America—J. Lenz, Sept. 16, 1912, $650.
Mendelsohn, Samuel—A. M. Birkhahn, May 29, 1911, $102.
Riggs, Leon C.—A. J. Blumberg, Dec. 4, 1912, $250.
Rouss, Peter W.—R. Buchi, June 4, 1912, $5,131.
Stiner, Oscar—Lehn & Fink, Nov. 20, 1912, $1,189.
Schanger, Isaac—N. Mondlinsky, Feb. 14, 1910, (vacated,) $110.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

New York.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 30.—Among the companies incorporated to-day were the following:

Edwin Cigar Company of Manhattan; $250,000; Max Rosenblum, Nacie Gartner, B. Rosenblum, 2 West 120th Street, New York.

The Niagara Falls Furnace Company of Niagara Falls; $50,000; Ambrose V. Davidson, William T. Taylor, Edward T. Williamson, Niagara Falls.

T. C. Ranie Company of Manhattan, bakers and confectioners' supplies; $40,500; Thomas C. Ranie, George Seymour, Joseph H. Theiling, 1,164 Greene Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Birn's Express of Manhattan; $100,000; Lewis Samuelson, Fred Hainisch, James W. Bailey, 235 West 128th Street, New York.

Charles Weiland of Nyack, hardware, cutlery; $750,000; Charles Weiland, Samuel M. Nicholson, Lewis E. Pierson, 93 Eighth Avenue, Brooklyn.

Importers and Traders' Building Company of Manhattan, realty; $75,000; Edmund Powers, George W. Vause, C. V. Mulligan, 34 Madison Street, Brooklyn.

Henry Gillen's Sons of Hempstead, lighterage; $100,000; Henry F. Gillen, James A. Martin, Oscar E. Jackson.

Alvah W. Haff of Amityville, fish; $100,000; William H. Cornell, Alvah W. Haff, Stanhope Foster, 286 Macon Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Federal Supplies Company of Manhattan, to borrow and loan money; $50,000; Thomas J. Kennedy, Daniel W. Janover, Jule L. Janover, 30 Church Street, New York.

West's of Brooklyn, ladies' wear and millinery; $30,000; Annie Barree, Matilda S. Dutcher, Eleanor F. Drake, 200 Schermerhorn Street, Brooklyn.

Adams-Schrey Company of Manhattan, hardware; $25,000; Frederick Schrey, Otto Adams, August Ackerman, Pelhamdale Avenue, Pelham.

Miller & Starr Company of Brooklyn, brass, steel, iron, tin, &c.; $20,000; William P. Miller, Henry B. Starr, Clara E. Miller, Freeport, L. I.

Davis-Warn Company of Jamestown, candy and confectionery; $12,000; Herbert F. Davis, Luther Warn, Frank A. Wilcox, of Jamestown.

Andrew Watson & Sons of Brooklyn, iron and steel; $10,000; Andrew Watson, Andrew Watson, Jr., Wales F. Severance, 60 West Tenth Street, New York City.

H. D. Whittle of Mount Vernon, realty; $10,000; Harry D. Whittle, Henry D. Whittle, Clifford T. Swart, 308 Huguenot Street, New Rochelle.

Rowell Realty Corporation of Brooklyn; $10,000; Harold Watson, John C. Williams, Frederick M. Livingston, 119 West Forty-ninth Street, New York City.

Brons Brothers of Manhattan, women and children's dresses; $25,000; Rae Brons, Lena Brons, Samuel Simon, 409 Pennsylvania Avenue, Brooklyn.

Sample Dress and Waist Company of Manhattan; $12,000; Jacques E. Abrahams, William Alexander, Harry Lever, 839 West End Avenue, New York.

Leo Maltin of Manhattan, petticoats, waists, and ladies' wear; $10,000; Samuel Rappapont, Max Moses, Charles Kaltz, 151 West 151st Street, New York.

The Herrick Agency of Olean, realty; $10,000; John P. Herrick, N. Y. Herrick, H. R. Wilson, of Olean.

Albany Teachers' Agency of Albany; $10,000; Harlan P. French, Augusta B. French, Vincent B. Fisk, of Albany.

Vernon Metal and Produce Company of Manhattan, commission merchants and selling agents; $25,000; Harmon G. Lichtenstein, Max Feldman, William F. Unger, 141 Broadway, New York City.

New York Motor Speedway Association of Manhattan, manage speedways, tracks, motordromes, and aerodromes, promote races, contests, and displays; $1,000,000; William B. Allen, Herbert J. Carter, Alfred B. Casner, 263 Madison Street, Brooklyn.

United States Rubber Reclaiming Company of Buffalo; $1,200,000; Theodore W. Bassett, Rudolph A. Lowenthal, Charles Dittmann, 108 East Sixtieth Street, New York City.

Housewives' League Magazine of Manhattan, publishing; $20,000; William F. Payson, Horatio S. Kraus, Lawton L. Walton, Flushing, L. I.

Electro Coach Corporation of Manhattan; $500,000; John Larkin, Alexander S. Andrews, Richard J. Lynch, 44 Wall Street, New York City.

The Sun Film Corporation of Manhattan; $50,000; Tobias A. Keppler, Sidney Ascher, Hans A. Spanuth, 455 Fort Washington Avenue, New York City.

New Jersey.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 30.—The following corporations were chartered in the office of Secretary Crater to-day:

Homewood Construction Company, Elizabeth; $25,000, contractors. Incorporators: August T. Gray, Francis T. Kennedy, and Henry Longman.

G. H. Hamilton Manufacturing Company, Trenton; $25,000, to manufacture gloves. Incorporators: S. H. Sutton, Theodore G. Kitchen, and M. A. Kitchen.

Breslin Brothers' Company, Gloucester; $1,000,000, to manufacture carpets. Incorporators: Thomas J. and Joseph B. Breslin and James Breslin.

Service Incorporation of New Jersey, Newark; $25,000, to deal in motor vehicle. Incorporators: Stephen C. Rensselaer, Francis Child, Jr., and George Allen Dewey.

Arrival of Buyers.

Arriving buyers may register in this column by telephoning 1000 Bryant.

Lewis, S., Troy, N. Y.; furn. goods; Albert.
Braun, L., & Co., Pittsburgh, Penn.; L. Braun, muslins; Albert.
Hinz & Laudt, San Francisco, Cal.; J. C. Berendsen, millinery; 621 Broadway; Woodward.
Muller & Roos Co., Los Angeles, Cal.; A. L. Johnson, millinery; 621 Broadway; Somerset.
Rosenbaum Co., Providence, R. I.; Miss M. Cohen, ladies' wear; Imperial.
Jones & Audette, Jamestown, N. Y.; E. F. Jones, domestics, laces, gloves; J. Hartley, dry goods; Grand.
McArthur's, St. Paul, Minn.; P. Hannon, dry goods; Grand.
Klein, L., Chicago, Ill.; dry goods; 31 Union Square; Grand.
Clarke, Davis & Poore Co., Columbus, Ohio; J. H. H. Davis, flowers, feathers; 621 Broadway.
Higbee Co., Cleveland, Ohio; F. C. Potts, linens; Imperial.
Hartley, J. M., & Sons, Fairmount, West Va.; J. M. Hartley, general merchandise; F. C. Evans, dry goods; 320 Church.
Watt & Shand, Lancaster, Penn.; P. Watt, linens; 55 White.
Duffy-Powers Co., Rochester, N. Y.; J. S. Banford, domestics; 45 East 17th; Victoria.
Cohn, H. J., Philadelphia, Penn.; cloakings; Hoffman House.
Collins, M. J., Boston, Mass.; cotton ducks; St. Denis.
Gamble-Desmond Co., New Haven, Conn.; E. O'Meara, dress goods, silks; 129 West 27th; St. Denis.
Powers Mercantile Co., Minneapolis, Minn.; W. A. Benton, carpets; 214 Church.
Stock Yards Clothing Co., Kansas City, Mo.; H. T. Poindexter, clothing; Herald Square.
Goldsmith, J., & Sons Co., Memphis, Tenn.; M. B. Johns, cloaks, suits; 148 West 23d; Herald Square.
Hills, C. S., & Co., Hartford, Conn.; E. V. Vedder, cloaks, suits, waists; Latham.
Smellenberg, N., & Co., Philadelphia, Penn.; L. Englander, ladies' dresses; 1,261 Broadway.
Malley, E., Co., New Haven, Conn.; M. Reilly, domestics; 320 Church; Hermitage.
Rosenbaum Co., Pittsburgh, Penn.; Mrs. Desmond, waists; 31 Union Square; Collingwood.
Gimbel Bros., Philadelphia, Penn.; Mrs. H. M. Quirk, ladies' suits, skirts; Broadway and 32d.
Brandeis, J. L., & Sons, Omaha, Neb.; H. H. Boyd, clothing, furnishing goods; 1,261 Broadway; McAlpin.
Union Dry Goods Co., Macon, Ga.; W. J. Juhan, notions, furnishing goods; 89 5th Av.; McAlpin.
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Muller & Raas Co., Los Angeles, Cal.; A. L. Johnson, millinery; 621 Broadway.
Dickinson & Co., Springfield, Mass.; A. E. Dickinson, cloaks, notions, hosiery, gloves; Long Acre.
Nathan, M., & Bro., Johnstown, Penn.; M. Nathan, dry goods; 221 4th Av.
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Shartenberg & Robinson, New Haven, Conn.; A. A. Breton, house furn. goods; 75 Spring.
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Washer Bros. Co., San Antonio, Texas; N. M. Washer, men's clothing; San Antonio.
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Robertson-Sutherland Co., Lawrence, Mass.; A. B. Sutherland, dry goods; 55 White.
Steiger, A., & Co., Holyoke, Mass.; P. C. Steiger, cloaks, suits; 114 5th Av.
Hartley, J. M., & Sons, Fairmont, West Va.; W. E. Ewing, dry goods; 320 Church.
Sheehan, Dean & Co., Elmira, N. Y.; E. P. Dougherty, domestics, linens, white goods, blankets; 320 Church.
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Wilder, M. E., & Son, Oneonta, N. Y.; L. E. Wilder, dry goods, cloaks, suits; 320 Church.
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Simon Millinery Co., San Francisco, Cal.; G. H. Simon, millinery; 821 Broadway.
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Harris & Mowrey Co., Woonsocket, R. I.; M. H. Briggs, cloaks, suits, waists; 75 Spring.
Schwenker, M. B., Cincinnati, Ohio; M. M. Solomon, coats; Mrs. M. B. Schwenker, ladies' ready-to-wear; Albert.
Southern Millinery Co., Fort Smith, Ark.; L. M. Schlenker, trimmed hats; McAlpin.
Robertson, Sutherland Co., Lawrence, Mass.; J. Gingras, dress goods, silks; 55 White.
Folz, S., & Levy Clothing Co., Memphis, Tenn.; S. Behr, clothing; Van Cortland.
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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Stocks Dull and a Little Lower—Money Market Is Easier.

The year-end money market is benefiting by the dullness into which trading in stocks has fallen. So little was the demand for loans from Stock Exchange quarters yesterday that the call rate of 7 per cent., made early in the day, and at which standing loans were renewed, proved the highest rate of the day. Money went, subsequently, as low as 2½ per cent. Saturday's bank statement had shown that the banks here were somewhat better fortified against the end-of-the-year requirements than had previously seemed likely to be the case, and the course of rates yesterday practically did away with any further uneasiness regarding the position of the call loan market, at least so long as the Stock Exchange contents itself with the credits which it is already employing. In this situation we see the effect of the severe liquidation in the stock market which went on during the earlier weeks of this month. Funds released through that liquidation have been made available for the other needs which must be filled at the close of the year, and, happily, they are being supplied at rates which are by no means excessive for this season. Any flurry in rates over the days when the heavy January disbursements are actually being made promises, in the light of yesterday's money market, to be short-lived.

If any proof beyond that which has heretofore been presented were needed to show that the credit position this year left little margin for active stock market speculation, it might be found in the outline of the Controller's summary of National bank returns under date of Nov. 26, which was published from Washington yesterday. Within the year National bank loans increased practically $400,000,000, while the cash holdings of the National banks were smaller by some $3,600,000 than they were at the corresponding call in 1911. This showing was in keeping with the tendency which was very clearly defined in the previous statements of the country's National banks this year. It is far from a cause for surprise that high interest rates should have prevailed during a period when the influences reflected in these National bank returns were being exerted. Price movements yesterday were uncertain, and at the close the declines outweighed the advances. Though somewhat larger than on the closing days of last week, the transactions were very moderate in volume. The market seemed to reflect a disposition to let the works of the old year stand for what they had been and to put off any fresh stock market activity until the new year.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Money on call loaned on Stock Exchange collateral at 2½@7 per cent., with the last loan at 2½ per cent. Most of the day's loans were made at 7 per cent.

Time money rates were at 6 per cent. for sixty days, 5¾@6 per cent. for ninety days, 5¼@5¾ per cent. for four months, and 5¼@5½ per cent. for five and six months.

Commercial paper was quoted at 5½@6 per cent. for best names.

Clearing House exchanges, $238,450,921; balances, $12,783,502; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $525,271.

The local banks have gained $18,000 on their Sub-Treasury operations since Friday.

FOREIGN RATES.

Discount rates abroad yesterday were: London, 4 15-16 per cent. for short bills and 4 13-16@4⅞ per cent. for three months' bills; Paris, 4 per cent., and Berlin, 5¾@6 per cent. Money was 3½@4 per cent. in London, and 8% per cent. in Berlin for settlement.

The Paris check rate on London was 25 francs 16 centimes, and the Berlin check rate on London was 20 marks 41½ pfennigs.

Foreign Exchange rates at the points noted were quoted as follows at the close of business yesterday:

CABLE AND SIGHT RATES.

London—Cable, $4.8610; demand, $4.8485.
Paris—Cable, 5.16¼; check, 5.18¾.
Berlin—Cable, 95 3-16 plus 1-32; check, 94 13-16.
Switzerland—Cable, 5.20 less 1-16; check, 5.21¼.
Holland—Cable, 40.22; check, 40.18.
Belgium—Cable, 5.21¼ plus 1-16; check, 5.21¼ less 1-32.

SIXTY AND NINETY DAY BILLS.

London—Bankers', sixty days, $4.8060; ninety days, $4.78¾.
London—Commercial, sixty days, $4.80¼; ninety days, $4.78¾.
Paris—Commercial, sixty days, 5.22½ less 1-16; ninety days, 5.25 plus 1-32.
Berlin—Commercial, sixty days, 93⅝; ninety days, 93 7-16.

DOMESTIC EXCHANGE RATES.

Boston, par; Chicago, 40c premium; St. Louis, 35c premium; St. Paul, 70c premium; San Francisco, 50c premium; Montreal, par at 15⅝c premium.

STOCK MARKET AVERAGES.

The average quotations of twenty-five leading railroad and twenty-five industrial issues and of these two groups of stocks combined compared as follows last week with the quotations of corresponding days of last year:

1912.

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Mean.	Last.	Change.
Dec. 21	91.41	90.53	90.97	90.73	—.33
Dec. 23	90.96	90.24	90.60	90.34	—.39
Dec. 24	90.46	90.16	90.31	90.25	—.09
Dec. 25	Christmas holiday.				
Dec. 26	90.42	90.21	90.31	90.34	+.09
Dec. 27	90.28	90.04	90.16	90.09	—.25
Dec. 28	90.01	89.64	89.82	89.77	—.32
Dec. 30	89.76	89.44	89.60	89.61	—.16

INDUSTRIALS.

	High.	Low.	Mean.	Last.	Change.
Dec. 21	67.58	66.75	67.09	67.16	+.24
Dec. 23	67.06	66.53	66.79	66.61	—.55
Dec. 24	66.72	66.58	66.65	66.70	+.09
Dec. 25	Christmas holiday.				
Dec. 26	66.61	66.41	66.51	66.60	—.10
Dec. 27	66.60	66.20	66.40	66.31	—.29
Dec. 28	66.29	65.82	66.05	66.01	—.30
Dec. 30	66.21	65.57	65.89	65.82	—.19

COMBINED AVERAGE.

	High.	Low.	Mean.	Last.	Change.
Dec. 21	79.49	78.64	79.03	78.94	—.05
Dec. 23	79.01	78.38	78.69	78.47	—.47
Dec. 24	78.59	78.37	78.48	78.47	0.00
Dec. 25	Christmas holiday.				
Dec. 26	78.51	78.31	78.41	78.47	0.00
Dec. 27	78.44	78.12	78.28	78.20	—.27
Dec. 28	78.15	77.73	77.93	77.89	—.31
Dec. 30	77.98	77.50	77.74	77.71	—.18

RANGE BY MONTHS, FIFTY STOCKS.
(Opened 77.51 Jan. 2.)

	High.		Low.		Last.
January	78.63	Jan. 3	75.66	Jan. 31	75.77
February	76.61	Feb. 20	*75.24	Feb. 1	75.84
March	81.74	Mar. 27	76.14	Mar. 1	80.81
April	83.76	Apr. 26	80.92	Apr. 1	82.81
May	83.17	May 2	80.08	May 31	80.19
June	82.79	June 6	80.08	June 1	81.84
July	82.76	July 13	79.75	July 12	81.80
August	84.46	Aug. 14	82.72	Aug. 1	83.40
September	*85.33	Sep. 30	82.10	Sep. 18	85.19
October	85.76	Oct. 4	81.47	Oct. 30	82.30
November	84.12	Nov. 7	81.16	Nov. 12	82.37
†December	82.54	Dec. 2	76.28	Dec. 16	77.71

*Highest or lowest of the year. †To latest date.

YEAR'S RANGE TO DATE.

	Open.	High.	Low.
	Jan. 2.	Oct. 4.	Dec. 16.
Railroads	91.43	97.23	88.39
	Jan. 2.	Sept. 30.	Feb. 1.
Industrial	64.00	74.50	61.74
Combined average	77.51	85.83	75.24

1911.

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Mean.	Last.	Change.
Dec. 23 and 25, Exchange closed.					
Dec. 26	92.09	91.75	91.82	91.86	—.01
Dec. 27	92.11	91.57	91.84	91.67	—.19
Dec. 28	91.69	90.90	91.29	90.95	—.72
Dec. 29	91.32	90.80	91.06	91.23	+.28
Dec. 30	91.54	91.25	91.39	91.37	+.14

INDUSTRIALS.

	High.	Low.	Mean.	Last.	Change.
Dec. 26	64.29	63.86	64.07	64.06	—.07
Dec. 27	64.12	63.33	63.73	63.78	—.28
Dec. 28	63.73	63.15	63.44	63.18	—.60
Dec. 29	63.33	62.91	63.12	63.24	+.06
Dec. 30	63.86	63.33	63.60	63.83	+.59

COMBINED AVERAGE.

	High.	Low.	Mean.	Last.	Change.
Dec. 26	78.19	77.80	78.04	77.96	—.04
Dec. 27	78.15	77.62	77.88	77.72	—.24
Dec. 28	77.71	77.02	77.36	77.06	—.66
Dec. 29	77.32	76.75	77.04	77.26	+.20
Dec. 30	77.70	77.30	77.54	77.60	+.34

LAST YEAR'S RANGE.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
	Jan. 3.	June 26.	Sept. 25.	Dec. 30.
Railroads	91.79	96.61	84.80	91.37
	Jan. 3.	June 5.	Sept. 25.	Dec. 30.
Industrials	62.05	69.76	54.75	63.83
	Jan. 3.	June 26.	Sept. 25.	Dec. 30.
Combined av.	77.37	82.41	69.57	77.60

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Good 'Frisco Earnings.

Good November earnings statements continue to arrive from various parts of the country. The St. Louis & San Francisco's gross for November brought the total for the first five months of the current fiscal year up to $20,086,000, which is an increase of $1,578,000 over the corresponding period of last year. Net earnings gained $531,000 in this period, and the total income available for meeting fixed charges was $6,390,000, an increase of $577,000 over the first five months of 1912. There was an addition of $197,000 to the company's charges for the period, but after paying these there remained a surplus applicable to dividends of $1,140,000, a gain of $380,000. An official of the 'Frisco points out that the increase in the surplus was arrived at although the return for the five months was in comparison with good months throughout the corresponding period of the previous year. During the remaining seven months of the present fiscal period the earnings will be in comparison with unfavorable results for the same months of the 1912 period. Early in that year the management had to contend with unusually severe weather and floods, and later with strikes. This official is confident that the final results of the present fiscal year will show an increase in the balance applicable to dividends of nearly $1,500,000 over the last fiscal year. Needless to state, this estimate is based on the expectation that last Spring's disastrous flood conditions will not be repeated this year.

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Other November Results.

The Northern Pacific had an excellent month with November, gross revenues of $7,136,000 showing an increase of $1,279,000, and net earnings of $3,150,000, leading last year's by $642,000, nearly 26 per cent. The Missouri Pacific's gross revenues made a gain of $840,000 in November, out of which $258,000 was added to the net, making an increase of 22 per cent. in net. The Erie's showing for the month was less favorable; gross earnings increased $541,000, out of which only $24,000 was added to the month's net. The Canadian Pacific had a similar experience, higher operating costs consuming nearly all of the increase in revenues. This company's gross revenues gained $1,791,000, but the increase in net was only $270,000. The Atlantic Coast Line's increase in expense was greater than its gain in earnings, the month's net showing a decrease of $63,000.

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Sharp Break in Steam Pump.

The bottom dropped out of the market for International Steam Pump shares in the final hour yesterday. The preferred stock broke from 69 to 63, closing with a net loss of 7 points from the previous close. The common stock sold down from 18½ to 12, closing at 14, with a net loss of 5 points for the day. It was said that a pool which had been carrying a large amount of Steam Pump stock for the best part of a year had tired of waiting for a better market.

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Profits in Canadian Pacific.

In a recent speech delivered in Montreal, Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, President of the Canadian Pacific, made the astonishing statement that, despite the almost phenomenal success of that company in recent years, and the big advance in the market price of its shares, no one closely connected with the company ever had made much out of it. Lord Mount Stephen, a resourceful man, who staked everything he had on the success of the road, at a time when its outlook was most dubious, retired from the company in 1885 and sold his three or four thousand shares of stock at 53, which meant a financial loss to him. Lord Strathcona still retains his five thousand shares, which show him a very handsome profit, being worth to-day around $1,300,000. "With this exception," says Sir Thomas, "not one single man connected with the Canadian Pacific has made what might be considered even a reasonable amount of money from his financial connection with the company. It has been an understood thing from the beginning that no Director should either speculate in the stock or should take advantage of any information secured by reason of his membership on the board, and in all my experience there has never been an occasion to find fault with any member of the board for speculating in stock or utilizing for his own advantage inside information that he possessed. I have never found it necessary to ask any officer of the company to tender his resignation because he was engaged in affairs that were not consistent with his duty to the company."

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Bond Market Picks Up.

Bond trading yesterday with its total transactions of $1,759,000 par value was the largest day's business since the stagnation set in on the Exchange early in the month, and while far from making a favorable comparison with the usual activity in this department at the close of the year, gave some indication of a freshening demand in anticipation of the reinvestment movement which the heavy interest and dividend disbursements at the first of the year may be expected to bring.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

James M. Kerr has been admitted to membership in the firm of E. A. Manice & Co., and on Jan. 1, 1913, Arthur R. Manice withdraws from the firm.

The Columbia-Knickerbocker Trust Company will certify $6,179,000 Rochester, N. Y., bonds to be sold by the City Controller on Jan. 14. The bonds will bear 4½ per cent. interest and will mature twenty years from date, and are to be issued for seven different purposes.

The Board of Directors of the United States Safe Deposit Company, elected yesterday Nicholas Biddle, one of the Trustees of the Astor estate, a member of the board, and a dividend of 3½ per cent. was declared for the six months ending Dec. 31.

The Pullman Company has taken over the operation of all the parlor and sleeping car service of the New Haven Railroad, to take effect Jan. 1. This new service will come under the personal direction of A. J. Grant, Superintendent of the Pullman Company.

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

While decided strength developed at one time in the market on the Consolidated Stock Exchange, the improvement in tone failed to be maintained, with the final prices for the leading stocks off from the best. In most instances the opening prices on the 9:30 o'clock call reflected fractional losses compared with Saturday's closing quotations. Although the dealings on the call averaged small lots, the business was well distributed.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
2,770	Amal. Copper	75¼	77	74¾	76½
220	Am. B. Sugar	47	48	47	47⅝
70	Am. Can	28⅝	29	28⅝	29
10	Am. Locomo	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝
470	Am. Smelting	71⅝	72⅝	71⅝	72¼
20	Anaconda Cop.	39	39	39	39
70	A., T. & S. F.	104⅜	105	104⅜	104⅜
70	Balt. & Ohio	104⅜	104¾	104⅜	104¾
520	Brook. R. T.	91⅝	91⅝	90⅝	91⅝
50	Ches. & Ohio	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝
280	C., M. & St. P.	111⅝	112	111⅝	112
20	Chino Copper	44¼	44¼	44¼	44¼
10	Dist. Securities	21	21	21	21
140	Erie	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
210	Gt. Nor. pf.	130	130	[illegible]	130
70	Gt. N. rights	2 5-16	2⅜	2 5-16	2⅜
100	Inter.-Met.	18⅜	18⅜	18⅜	18⅜
130	Inter.-Met. pf.	63⅝	63⅝	63⅝	63⅝
180	Lehigh Valley	165⅝	166	165⅝	166
120	Mo. Pacific	41	41⅝	40⅞	41
50	N. Y. Central	107⅜	107⅜	107⅜	107⅜
20	Pitts. Coal	23½	23½	23½	23½
120	Ray Copper	20⅝	21⅞	20⅝	21⅞
8,100	Reading	166	166⅝	165⅝	166⅝
50	Rock Island	23⅝	23⅝	22⅝	22⅝
410	So. Pacific	104⅞	105⅝	104⅞	105⅝
20	So. Ry. pf.	79⅝	79⅝	79⅝	79⅝
150	Third Av.	40	40	40	40
2,990	Union Pacific	158⅞	159⅛	158⅞	159
90	U. S. Rubber	64	64	64	64
7,370	U. S. Steel	66⅝	67⅛	66⅝	66⅝
40	Utah Copper	56	56¼	56	56¼
24,870					

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
500	Atlanta	.18½	.18½	.18½	.18½
700	Daisy	.04	.04	.04	.04
100	Elkton	.62	.62	.62	.62
275	Goldf'd Cons.	2.00	2.12½	2.00	2.12½
900	Jim Butler	.65	.65	.65	.65
1,100	Jumbo Ext.	.33	.33	.33	.33
800	Mexican	.95	.95	.95	.95
1,300	North Star	.22	.22	.22	.22
80	Ontario	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
100	Ophir	.15	.15	.15	.15
200	Portland	.95	.95	.95	.95
300	Tonopah Ext.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
400	Tono. Merger	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
8,205					

OUTSIDE SECURITIES

United Cigar Stores Feature in Fairly Active Market on the Curb.

In spite of miserable weather conditions, yesterday's session on the Curb was moderately active, United Cigar Stores providing the outstanding feature. Opening at 113¾ they advanced to 115¼, but dropped slightly to 114¾ at the close of the market, business transacted amounting to 10,500 shares. British American Tobacco marketed 5,000 shares, opening at 24¼ and advancing to 24⅞—the closing price. Tobacco Products pf. advanced from 97 to 98 on sales amounting to 900 shares. In the mining market Braden Copper gained a point on sales of 1,500 shares, closing at 10⅝. Trading was active in the bond department, Canada Southern 5s marketing $50,000 at 106¼ and 106½, while New York City 4½s, 1962, marketed $35,000 at 99¼ and 99 5-16.

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Transaction reported were:

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
800	*Allied Sec. Co.	82	82	82	82
10	Am. Cigar	152	152	152	152
50	Am. Writ. Pa.	2½	2½	2½	2½
5,000	Br.-Am. Tob.	24¼	24⅞	24¼	24⅞
130	Em.-Brant. pf.	99½	100	99½	100
100	Houston Oil	18	18	18	18
100	L. V. C. S. Co.	220	220	220	220
700	Man. Transit	1 11-16	1¾	1 11-16	1¾
500	*Mays Oil	18	18	18	18
100	Oil Fds. of M.	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
540	Puebla S. & R.	2 3-16	2¼	2 3-16	2¼
650	St. Oil of N. J.	417	422	417	420
900	Tob. Prod. pf.	97	98	96½	98
10,500	Un. Cig. Stores of Am.	113¾	115¼	113½	114¾
100	Un. Cig. Stores of Am. pf.	116½	116½	116½	116½
70	U. S. L. & H. pf., new	80	80	79	79

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
700	Al. G. M. w. i.	12¼	12½	12¼	12¼
14,000	*Big Four	59	66	59	66
1,500	Braden Copper	10¼	10⅝	10¼	10⅝
200	Brit.-Col. Cop.	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
100	Buffalo Mines	2	2	2	2
2,500	*C. O. D. Con.	7	7	6	6
1,000	Dia. Black Butte	5	5	5	5
1,000	Dia. Field Daisy	4½	4½	4	4
500	El Paso Con.	6½	6½	6	6½
100	First National	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
200	Florence	58	58	58	58
50	Greene-Can.	9	9	9	9
2,500	Kerr Lake	2 13-16	2 13-16	2 11-16	2¾
650	La Rose Con.	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
200	Lightning C'k-G. Drainage	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
110	Mason Valley	10¼	10⅝	10¼	10⅝
90	McKin.-Darragh	1⅞	2	1⅞	2
3,600	*Mutual M. & L.	59	61	57	60
300	Nevada Hills	1 7-16	1 7-16	1 7-16	1 7-16
1,500	*N. J. Mines Co.	17	17	17	17
800	Nipissing M. Co.	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
100	Ohio Copper	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
400	S. Utah M. & S.	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝
4,000	Stewart	2 1-16	2⅛	2 1-16	2⅛
500	Tonopah Min.	6 9-16	6 9-16	6 7-16	6 7-16
200	Tonopah Ext.	2 9-16	2 9-16	2 9-16	2 9-16
7,500	Tonopah Merger	85	85	83	84
2,900	Tularosa	1	1	1	1
1,500	Tuolumne Cop.	3¼	3 9-16	3¼	3 7-16
200	West End Con.	1 5-16	1 5-16	1 5-16	1 5-16
2,000	*Wett. Sil. M.	25	25	25	25

BONDS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
$3,500	Braden Cop. 7s, old	205	207½	205	207½
4,000	B. R. T. 5% notes	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
50,000	Can. So. 5s, w. i.	106¼	106½	106¼	106½
10,000	Chi. Elev. 5s	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
7,000	N. Y. City 4¼s, 1960	99¼	99¼	99¼	99¼
35,000	N. Y. City 4½s, 1962	99¼	99 5-16	99¼	99 5-16
20,000	West. Pac. 5s	[illegible]	84⅛	84⅛	84⅛

*Sell cents per share. †Odd lots.

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Issues not traded in were quoted thus:

INDUSTRIALS.

	Dec. 30. Bid.	Dec. 30. Asked.	Dec. 28. Bid.	Dec. 28. Asked.
Bay State Gas	½	9-16	½	9-16
Borden's Cond. Milk	116	..	116	..
Borden's C. Milk pf.	104½	106	104½	106
Brown Shoe	54	56	54	56
Brown Shoe pf.	99	100	99	100
Cluett-Peabody	67	68	67	68
Cluett-Peabody pf.	102	103	102	103
Con. Rubber Tire	13	14	13	14
Con. Rubber Tire pf.	50	60	50	60
Emerson-Brantingham	65	67	65	67
Havana Tobacco	5	8	5	8
Havana Tobacco pf.	..	15	..	15
Houston Oil pf.	60	70	60	70
Int. Rubber tr. ctfs.	8	9	9	10
McAndrews & Forbes	190	195	190	195
Man. Shirt Co.	52	58	52	58
Man. Shirt Co. pf.	101½	102½	101½	102½
Marconi of Am., new	5⅝	6⅛	5⅝	6⅛
N. Y. Transportation	5	6	5	6
Otis Elevator	76	78	76	78
Otis Elevator pf.	99	102	99	102
Penn. Textile	24	25	24	25
Standard Oil (old)	1,125	1,200	1,125	1,200
Tobacco Products	110	140	110	140
U. S. Lt. & Heat., new	14	15	14	15
Willys Overland	70	71	70	71
Willys Overland pf.	99	100	99	100

RAILROAD.

	Dec. 30. Bid.	Dec. 30. Asked.	Dec. 28. Bid.	Dec. 28. Asked.
D., L. & W. rts., w. i.	120	135	120	135

MINING STOCKS.

	Dec. 30. Bid.	Dec. 30. Asked.	Dec. 28. Bid.	Dec. 28. Asked.
*Beaver Con.	42	44	42	44
Butte-New York	1⅝	2	1⅝	2
Chesterfield Copper	8	9	8	9
Con. Arizona Smelt.	7-16	½	7-16	½
Giroux Mining	3⅞	4	3⅞	4
Goldfield-Midway	7	8	7	8
Mines of America	3	3¼	3⅛	3¼
South Live Oak	1½	2½	1½	2½
Tri-Bullion	½	⅝	½	9-16
Union Mines	1-16	3-16	1-16	3-16
United Copper	1	2	1	2
United Copper pf.	8	20	8	20
Yukon Gold Mines	3 1-16	3⅛	3 1-16	3⅛

BONDS.

	Dec. 30. Bid.	Dec. 30. Asked.	Dec. 28. Bid.	Dec. 28. Asked.
Braden Copper 6s	205	208	205	210
Mason Valley 6s	110	120	110	120

*Sells cents per share.

STANDARD OIL QUOTATIONS.

	Monday. Bid.	Monday. Asked.	Saturday. Bid.	Saturday. Asked.
Anglo-Am. Oil	20½	21	19½	20½
Atlantic Refining	595	600	600	610
Borne-Scrymser	210	220	200	225
Buckeye Pipe Line	172	175	172	175
Chesebrough Mfg	665	680	665	685
Colonial Oil	130	140	130	140
Continental Oil	1,675	1,725	1,550	1,600
Crescent Pipe Line	63	66	63	66
Cumberland Pipe Line	65	70	64	68
Eureka Pipe Line	380	385	382	387
Galena-Signal Oil	305	310	300	305
Galena-Signal Oil pf.	130	134	133	137
Indiana Pipe Lines	150	154	148	152
National Transit	49½	50½	49	57
New York Transit	340	345	340	347
Northern Pipe Line	115	120	110	115
Ohio Oil	128	130	127	130
Prairie Oil & Gas	330	335	330	334
Solar Refining	600	610	600	610
Southern Pipe Line	260	265	262	267
South Penn. Oil	880	885	875	885
S. W. Penn. Pipe Lines	163	166	163	167
Standard Oil (Cal.)	181	183	176	178
Standard Oil (Ind.)	360	363	348	355
Standard Oil (Kan.)	455	465	450	460
Standard Oil (Ky.)	380	390	380	390
Standard Oil (Neb.)	300	310	300	310
Standard Oil (N. J.)	420	423	415	417
Standard Oil (N. Y.)	665	675	665	675
Standard Oil (Ohio)	275	285	275	280
Standard Oil subsid. "en bloc"	730	760	725	750
Standard Oil old, "all on"	1,150	1,183	1,140	1,167
Swan & Finch	205	215	200	215
Union Tank Line	70	72	70	73
Vacuum Oil	182	185	180	185
Washington Oil	20	23	19	23
Waters-Pierce Oil	1,400	1,500	1,400	1,500

TOBACCO STOCKS.

	Dec. 30. Bid.	Dec. 30. Asked.	Dec. 28. Bid.	Dec. 28. Asked.
British-American	24½	24⅝	24	24⅛
Conley Foil	290	300	290	300
Johnson Tinfoil & Met.	180	190	180	190
J. S. Young	172	180	172	180
MacAndrews & Forbes	192	198	192	198
P. R.-Am. Tob., ex div.	245	260	245	260
P. R.-A. Tob. 6% scrip	130	150	120	135
R. J. Reynolds	235	250	235	250
United Cigar Stores	114¾	115¼	113½	113⅝
Un. Cigar Stores pf.	116	117	116	117
Tobacco Products	120	140	120	140
Tobacco Prod. Co. pf.	97	98	96½	97½

SHORT TERM NOTES.

Name.	Rate.	Maturity.		Bid.	Asked.	Yield.
Amal. Copper	5	Apr.,	1913	99⅝	100	5.00
Amer. Loco.	5	Oct.,	1913	99¾	100	5.00
Amer. Loco.	5	Oct.,	1914	99¼	100	5.00
Ann Arbor	5	May,	1913	97½	98½	7.25
Austrian Gov.	4½	July,	1914-15	97½	97⅞	6.00
Balt. & Ohio	4½	June,	1913	99⅝	99⅞	4.90
B. R. T.	5	July,	1918	96¼	96⅝	5.80
Ches. & O.	4½	June,	1914	98⅝	98⅞	5.55
Chi. & Alt.	5	Mar.15,	1913	98	99	11.00
Chi. El. Rys.	5	July,	1914	97¼	97⅞	6.40
Cin., H. & D.	4	July,	1913	99	99⅝	5.00
Erie R. R.	6	Apr. 8,	1914	100	100⅜	5.85
Erie R. R.	5	Oct.,	1914	98⅜	99	5.60
Erie R. R.	5	Apr.,	1915	97⅝	98	5.85
Gen. Motor	6	Oct.,	1915	[illegible]	[illegible]	6.20
Gen. Rub.	4½	July,	1915	[illegible]	96⅝	5.87
Hock Val.	4½	Nov.,	1913	99⅝	99⅞	5.00
Hudson Cos.	6	Feb.,	1913	98⅝	99⅝	11.00
Ill. Central	4½	July,	1914	98⅝	99⅜	4.85
Int. & Gt. N.	5	Aug.,	1914	97⅝	97⅞	6.15
Int. Harv.	5	Feb.15,	1915	99⅝	99⅞	5.15
K. C. R. & L.	5	May,	1913	88	89½	26.00
K. C. R. & L.	6	Sep.,	1913	[illegible]	91	[illegible]
Lack. Steel	5	Mar.,	1915	[illegible]	[illegible]	7.00
Maine Cent.	4	Mar.15,	1913	[illegible]	[illegible]	5.00
M.S.R. of K.C.	5	May,	1913	[illegible]	[illegible]	11.00
Mex. Mon. C.	4½	Sep.,	1913	[illegible]	[illegible]	7.20
Mich. Cent.	4	Mar.,	1913	[illegible]	[illegible]	5.00
M. & St. L.	5	Feb.,	1913	[illegible]	[illegible]	20.00
M., K. & T.	5	May,	1915	[illegible]	[illegible]	6.10
Mo. Pac.	5	June,	1914	[illegible]	[illegible]	7.50
Mon. T. & P.	5	Apr.,	1913	[illegible]	[illegible]	5.00
Nat. R. of M.	4½	June,	1913	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
N. Y. Cent.	4½	Mar.,	1914	[illegible]	[illegible]	4.80
N. Y. Cent.	4½	May,	1915	[illegible]	[illegible]	4.80
NY, NH & H.	5	Dec.,	1913	[illegible]	[illegible]	5.30
Pac. T. & T.	5	Jan. 5,	1913	[illegible]	[illegible]	5.00
St. L. & S. F.	5	June,	1913	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. L. & S. F.	5	Sep.,	1914	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
So. Ry.	5	Feb.,	1913	[illegible]	100	5.00
Sulz. & Sons	6	June,	1916	[illegible]	[illegible]	6.15
U. S. R. & M.	5	Aug.,	1914	[illegible]	[illegible]	5.20
Utah Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	1917	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	July,	1913	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
West. E. & M.	5	Aug.,	1915	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Western Md.	[illegible]	July,	1915	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

STOCKS OUT OF TOWN.

BALTIMORE.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
45	Consol. Coal	100	100	100
10	Consol. Power pf.	112	112	112
650	H'st'n Oil com. tr. ctfs.	17⅝	17½	17⅝
170	Houston Oil pf. tr. ctfs.	65½	65	65½
5	Maryland Casualty	102	102	102
50	Maryland Trust pf.	120	120	120
10	Munsey Trust, w. i.	104	104	104
5	Merchants Bank	227	227	227
110	United Railways	25½	25⅜	25⅜

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$9,000	Consol. Coal ref. 5s	92	92	92
3,000	Cotton Duck 5s	73½	73½	73½
1,000	Fairmont & C. tr. 5s	100½	100½	100½
1,000	Ga. & Car. & Nor. 5s	105½	105½	105½
1,000	Maryland Elec. 5s	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
1,000	Met. Rys. 5s (Wash.)	105¾	105¾	105¾
1,000	Portl'd Ry. 1st ref. 5s	101	101	101
5,000	Seaboard 4s, stamped	85¼	85¼	85¼
2,000	United Rys. 4s	84	84	84
2,000	United Rys. fdg. 5s	85	85	85
2,000	United Elec. & P. 4½s	92½	92½	92½

BOSTON.

MINING.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
450	Algomah	2½	2	2½
35	Allouez	41	41	41
880	Amalgamated Copper	75⅝	75	75⅝
395	American Zinc	29½	28⅝	29½
75	Arizona Com'l	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
70	Boston & Corbin	5⅝	5½	5½
25	Butte & Bal.	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
95	Butte & Superior	43	42	42
775	Calumet & Arizona	71¼	70	70
12	Calumet & Hecla	534	530	534
125	Chino	44	43	43
190	Copper Range	51½	50⅝	51½
20	Daly West	3½	3½	3½
245	East Butte	14⅝	14½	14½
150	Franklin	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
232	Giroux	4	3⅞	4
295	Granby	70	68½	69
200	Greene-Cananea	9 11-16	9⅝	9 11-16
60	Hancock	24	23	24
80	Hedley Gold	27	26	27
100	Indiana	15½	15⅜	15⅜
235	Isle Royale	32½	32	32
100	Kerr Lake	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
100	Keweenaw	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
176	Lake	24½	24	24½
10	Lasalle	5	5	5
195	Mason Valley	10¼	10¼	10¼
55	Mass Con	5	5	5
285	Mayflower	15	14⅝	15
25	Miami	25⅝	25⅝	25½
140	Mohawk	61	60½	60½
25	Nevada Con.	19¼	19¼	19¼
85	New Arcadian	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
230	Nipissing	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
930	North Butte	32½	31⅝	32½
85	North Lake	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
50	Ojibway	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
555	Old Colony	8	8	8
5	Old Dominion	54	54	54
35	Osceola	104	104	104
980	Pond Creek	26½	26	26
10	Quincy	78	77⅝	77⅝
115	Ray Con.	21¼	20⅝	21¼
200	Santa Fe	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
215	Shannon	13¼	13	13
80	Shattuck	28⅝	28	28
50	South Utah	81	81	81
70	St. Mary's Land	44½	44½	44½
195	Superior & Boston	1¼	1 3-16	1 3-16
45	Superior	39	38½	39
15	Tamarack	34¾	34¾	34¾
30	Trinity	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
100	Tuolumne	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
15	Union Copper Land	2	2	2
565	U. S. Smelters	43¼	42½	43
282	U. S. Smelters pf.	50	49⅝	50
1,550	Utah Apex	2	2	2
410	Utah Con.	10⅝	10½	10½
10	Utah Copper	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝
45	Wolverine	69½	69	69½

RAILROADS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
15	Atchison	105½	105½	105½
1	Atchison pf.	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
1	Boston & Albany	218	218	218
18	Boston Elev.	115	114½	114½
20	Boston & Maine	96	96	96
1	Boston & Providence	290	290	290
56	Mass. Elec. pf. stpd.	76½	76	76
189	N. Y., N. H. H.	128	127½	127½
5	West End St. pf.	98	98	98

TELEPHONE.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
1,071	American	141¼	140⅝	141

MISCELLANEOUS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
425	Am. Agr. Chem.	56	54	55
5	Am. Agr. Chem. pf.	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
5	Am. Pneu. Serv. pf.	22	22	22
113	Am. Sugar pf.	116⅝	116⅝	116⅝
140	Am. Wool pf.	80	80	80
10	Dominion Steel	58	57⅝	57⅝
396	East Boston Land	14⅝	14	14
55	Edison	285	284	285
30	Ga. Ry. & Elec. pf.	88	88	88
198	General Electric	189	184½	185⅝
30	Mass. Gas	91¼	91	91
37	Mass. Gas pf.	94⅝	94¼	94⅝
2	Mergenthaler	216	216	216
2	N. E. Cotton Yarn pf.	91	91	91
3	Pullman	165¾	165¾	165¾
16	Reece Button	4	4	4
45	Swift	105¼	105	105
105	Torrington	28	27½	27½
25	Torrington pf.	28½	28½	28½
128	United Fruit	182¾	180⅝	180⅝
3	United Shoe Mach.	49	49	49
742	U. S. Steel	67¼	66	66⅝
6	U. S. Steel pf.	109¼	109	109¼

BOND.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$4,000	Am. Tel. & Tel. 4s	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝
1,000	A. G. & W. I. 5s	61⅝	61⅝	61⅝
2,000	C. B. & Q. Jt. 4s	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝
5,000	West. Tel. & Tel. 5s	100	99⅝	100

BOSTON CLOSING PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Bay State G.	24	25	Goldf'd Con.	2	2⅛
Bohemia	2	2¼	La Rose Con.	2⅝	3
Boston Ely	1¼	1 3-16	Majestic Cop.	45	50
Cactus	7	9	New Baltic	1½	1¾
Calaveras	2⅝	3	Oneco	1	2
Chief Con.	1 1-16	1 3-16	Ohio Copper	1	1¼
Con. Ariz.	45	50	Raven	20	30
Davis-Daly	1½	2	R. I. Coal	..	10
First Nat'l	1⅝	1⅞	South Lake	7	8

CHICAGO.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
600	American Can	29⅝	28½	29¼
100	American Can pf.	114	114	114
50	American T. & T.	141	141	141
50	Booth Fisheries	66½	66½	66½
60	Chicago Pneu. Tool	53	53	53
20	Chicago Ry., Series 1	88	87	88
285	Chicago Ry., Series 2	22⅝	22¼	22⅝
95	Com. Edison	143	142½	142½
60	Diamond Match	107⅝	107½	107½
25	Illinois Brick	70⅝	70⅝	70⅝
50	Int. Harvester	111¼	111	111¼
80	Peoples Gas	114⅝	114⅝	114⅝
20	Lindsay Light	20	20	20
50	Studebaker	34	34	34
507	Sears, Roebuck & Co.	212	209⅝	212
10	Sears-Roebuck pf.	123½	123½	123½
60	Street's Car	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
25	Swift & Co.	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
100	United Boxboard	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
875	U. S. Steel	67	66⅝	66⅝
200	Union Carbide	197	197	197

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	Chicago Ry. pur. m.	72½	72½	72½
18,000	Chicago Ry. 5s	85	84⅝	84⅝
2,000	Chicago Ry. 5s	101¼	101¼	101¼
5,000	Chicago Tel. 5s	101	101	101
5,000	Morris 4½s	88	88	88
3,000	Chi. Pneu. Tool 5s	95	94¾	95

PHILADELPHIA.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
30	Amal. Copper	77	75⅝	77
1,508	Am. Milling	2	1⅞	2
116	Cambria Steel	50	49⅝	50
124	Elec. Storage	53¼	53⅛	53¼
50	Gen. Asphalt	38⅝	38⅝	38⅝
300	Gen. Asphalt pf.	72	72	72
24	Harwood Electric	30	30	30
67	Ins. Co. of N. A.	22¼	22	22
70	Lehigh Nav. stock	92½	92⅝	92½
20	Lehigh Nav. ctfs.	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝
30	Lehigh Val. Trans. pf.	32½	32½	32½
1	Minehill	57½	57½	57½
313	Penn. R. R.	61	60⅝	61
3	Penn. Salt Mfg. Co.	107	107	107
57	Phila. Co.	50	50	50
10	Phila. Rap. Tr. stock	27¼	27¼	27¼
10	Phila. Trac.	83	83	83
1,295	Phila. Electric	23⅝	23¼	23¼
180	Reading	83⅜	82 15-16	83⅜
505	Tono. Belmont	9	8 15-16	8 15-16
63	Tono. Mining	6⅝	6½	6⅝
10	Union Pacific	158⅝	158⅝	158⅝
80	Union Traction	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝
529	United Gas Imp. Co.	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
2,830	U. S. Steel	67¼	67⅛	67¼
35	Warwick I. & S.	10½	10¼	10¼

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$2,000	Phila. Co. 1st 5s	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
2,000	Phila. Elec. 4s	81⅝	81⅝	81⅝
8,000	Phila. Elec. gold 5s	103	103	103
1,000	Reading deb. ter. 5s	113	113	113
2,000	Reading gen. 4s	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
1,000	Span.-Am. Iron 6s	102	102	102
15,000	Unl. Ry. Inv. 5s	82	82	82

PITTSBURGH.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
110	Am. Window Glass pf	37¼	37¼	37¼
150	Crucible Steel	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝
140	Crucible Steel pf.	93	93	93
390	Mfrs. L. & H.	47½	47	47
10	Nat. Fireproofing	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
10	Ohio Fuel Supply	43½	43½	43½
20	Oklahoma Gas	67⅝	67⅝	67⅝
25	Pitts. Oil & Gas	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
60	Pure Oil	15	14⅝	14⅝
70	Union Switch & Sig.	140	138	138
50	West. Machinery	30	30	30
230	West. Elec.	40	39⅝	39⅝
210	West. Air Brake	142	142	142

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$750	Ohio Fuel Oil 5s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
2,000	Pitts Coal deb. 5s	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝

METAL MARKET REPORTS.

On the Metal Exchange yesterday copper was dull and unchanged for nearby deliveries, but a shade lower in the asking price for late months. Tin was firm at an improvement of ⅛c. Lead and spelter were unchanged. The closing bid and asked prices follow:

	Monday. Bid.	Monday. Asked.	Friday. Bid.	Friday. Asked.
Standard Copper—				
Spot	17.00	17.37½	17.00	17.37½
January	17.00	17.37½	17.00	17.37½
February	17.00	17.37½	17.00	17.37½
March	17.00	17.20	17.00	17.20
Lead	4.20	4.30	4.20	4.30
Spelter	7.20	7.40	7.20	7.40
Tin	50.62½	50.87½	50.40	50.60

On the London Metal Exchange yesterday the following prices obtained for spot and future deliveries of copper and pig tin. These figures make comparison with Friday's closing quotations:

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Copper, spot	76	5	0	76	2	6
Copper, futures	77	5	0	77	2	6
Pig tin, spot	229	10	0	227	10	0
Pig tin, futures	229	10	0	227	15	0

The market finished strong. [illegible] unchanged. Spelter, [illegible] unchanged. Cleveland warrants, 67s 9d., [illegible].

BOURSES OF EUROPE

London and Paris Markets Are Quiet—Prices Lower on Berlin Boerse.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Tuesday, Dec. 31.—The London Times in its City article to-day will say:

"Yesterday the market was chiefly occupied in supplying itself with money from the Bank, which did a huge business in loans for the week, besides buying some short bills. A moderate discount business was done at slightly higher rates for three to six months' paper. There was a Continental demand for bills, but no disposition to make concessions to sellers was shown. This week's large parcel of bar gold has not yet been definitely disposed of. Paris checks fluctuated violently, closing higher. Berlin also moved in our favor. To-day heavy borrowing from the Bank by the market is looked for.

"On the Stock Exchange the conclusion of the settlement kept many members busy. The volume of new business was inconsiderable. Gilt-edged securities eased slightly, as it was known that a number of new issues were likely to appear after the turn of the year. Most markets were quiet and idle. In some departments there was not enough business to test quotations. Few orders came to hand from the Bourses, which were inclined to be dull on news of the death of the German Foreign Secretary. Grand Trunk junior stocks weakened on the appearance of the monthly statement. There was a certain amount of profit-taking in some foreign railway stocks which have been prominent of late."

BERLIN, Dec. 30.—Prices closed considerably lower on the Börse to-day. The weakness was due to the slow peace negotiations, the tightness of money and the death of Alfred von Kiderlen-Wächter, Secretary of Foreign Affairs.

PARIS, Dec. 30.—Trading was quiet on the Bourse to-day.

Three per cent. rentes, 89 francs 15 centimes for the account.

LONDON CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	London.	N. Y. Equiv.	N. Y. Close.	Net Ch'ge.
Consols, money	75 1-16	..	..	+1-16
Consols, account	75 1-16	..	..	..
Anaconda	8¼	39⅞	39¾	+¼
Atchison	108¼	105⅝	105⅝	..
Cana. Pacific	*246½	239⅞	..	..
St. Paul	115	111⅞	111⅝	—⅛
Erie	32½	31⅝	31⅝	—⅛
Erie 1st pf.	50½	49	..	..
Illinois Central	130	126⅝	..	..
Louis. & Nash	144½	140	141¼	—1¼
N. Y. Central	110⅝	107⅝	107⅜	—⅜
Pennsylvania	62½	122	121⅝	+⅝
Reading	85⅝	166	166⅝	—⅜
Southern Pacific	108¼	105	105⅝	—⅜
Union Pacific	163⅝	159	159⅝	—⅜
U. S. Steel	68½	66⅝	67	—¼
U. S. Steel pf.	112½	109¼	109⅝	—⅛

*Ex rights.
Exchange, 4.85.

N. Y. C. TO ISSUE BONDS.

Ohio Board Allows Road to Obtain $13,500,000 for New Equipment.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 30.—A bond issue of $13,500,000 by the New York Central Railroad, to be used for new equipment, received official sanction by the State Public Utilities Commission here to-day, on the application of that railroad. The company recently asked to be permitted to issue bonds to the extent of $24,000,000.

The issue sanctioned concerns only Ohio. A similar application is pending in New York.

A protest was filed by C. H. Venner of New York City, representing minority stockholders of the Michigan Central, a subsidiary of the New York Central, who asserted that the proposed issuance of joint equipment trust certificates was a violation of the Federal anti-trust law. No reference was made by the commission to this contention.

PUBLIC UTILITY SECURITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Light & Traction com.	400	410
American Light & Traction pf.	108	110
Adirondack Electric Power com.	19	21
Adirondack Electric Power pf.	62	64
Am. Gas & Electric com.	81	83
Am. Gas & Electric pf.	45	47
American Power & Light com.	66	69
American Power & Light pf.	83	85
Am. Public Utilities com.	64	67
Am. Public Utilities pf.	78	80
Cities Service com.	110	113
Cities Service pf.	86	88
Commonwealth P. R. & L. com.	66	68
Commonwealth P. R. & L. pf.	88	90
Denver Gas & Electric Gen. 5s	93	96
Electric Bond Deposit pf.	75	78
Empire District Electric 5s	84	88
Empire District Electric pf.	..	83
Federal Light & Traction com.	33	36
Federal Light & Traction pf.	83	85
Federal Utilities Incorp. com.	..	47
Federal Utilities Incorp. pf.	..	78
Gas & Electric Securities com.	130	150
Gas & Electric Securities pf.	92	96
Lincoln Gas & Electric	30	35
Northern States Power com.	22	25
Northern States Power pf.	85	87
Ozark Power & Water Co. com.	48	50
Pacific Gas & Electric com.	62	63
Pacific Gas & Electric pf.	90	92
Republic Ry. & Light Co. com.	24	26
Republic Ry. & Light Co. pf.	78	81
Standard Gas & Electric com.	20	22
Standard Gas & Electric pf.	49½	50½
United Light & Rys. com.	78	80
United Light & Rys. 1st pf.	83	85
United Light & Rys. 2d pf.	73	75
Western Power com.	24	27
Western Power pf.	50	54
Utilities Improvement Co. com.	60	62
Utilities Improvement Co. pf.	75	78

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Alta	.03	Julia	.03
Alpha Con.	.04	Justice	.02
Andes	.08	Kentucky Con.	.02
Belcher	.25	Mexican	.95
Best & Belcher	.09	Occidental Con.	.70
Bullion	.01	Ophir	.15
Caledonia	.74	Overman	.42
Challenge Con.	.09	Potosi	.02
Chollar	.02	Savage	.06
Confidence	.30	Sag Belcher	.05
Con. Cal. & Va.	.20	Sierra Nevada	.12
Con. Imperial	.01	Union Con.	.12
Crown Point	.23	Utah Con.	.08
Gould & Curry	.01	Yellow Jacket	.20
Hale & Norcross	.08		

TONOPAH.		Comb. Fraction	.08
Belmont	8.85	Diamondf'd Daisy	.03
Jim Butler	.65	Diamondf'd B. B.	.04
McNamara	.18	Florence	.59
Midway	.32	Goldfield C. M.	2.15
Montana	1.90	Goldfield Merger	.28
North Star	.21	Great Bend	.01
Rescue Eula	.12	Jumbo Extension	.33
Tonopah Exten.	2.27½	Lone Star	.08
Tonopah Merger	.84	Red Hills	.01
West End	1.20	Sandstorm Kend.	.01
GOLDFIELD.		Silver Pick	.06
Adams	.01	Vernal	.10
Atlanta	.19	Nevada Hills	1.45
Booth	.03	MANHATTAN.	
C. O. D.	.07	Manhattan Con.	.08

COLORADO.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Dr. Jackpot	5	6⅝	Jackpot	5¼	5½
Elkton	62½	63⅝	McKinney	58	60
El Paso	590	594	Old Gold	3	4½
Findlay	3½	4¼	Portland	95	100
Gold Dollar	17	17½	Vindicator	86½	90
Isabella	16⅝	16⅞	Raven B. H.	7½	7⅞

NEW YORK CITY BONDS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Asked.	Saturday. Bid.	Saturday. Asked.
4½s, May, 1957, inter.	104¼	104⅝	104¼	104⅝
4½s, Nov., 1957, inter.	104¼	104⅝	104¼	104⅝
4½s, May, 1917, inter.	100⅝	101½	100⅝	101½
4½s, Nov., 1917, inter.	100⅝	102	100⅝	102
4¼s, Mar., 1960-60, int.	100	100¼	100¼	100½
4¼s, Mar., 1962, inter.	99¼	99⅜	99¼	99⅜
4¼s, Sept., 1960, inter.	99¼	99⅜	99¼	99⅜
4s, May, 1959, inter.	95⅝	96¼	95⅝	96¼
4s, Nov., 1958, inter.	95⅝	96¼	95⅝	96¼
4s, May, 1957, inter.	95¼	96¼	95¼	96¼
4s, Nov., 1956, reg.	94⅝	95½	94⅝	95½
4s, Nov., 1955, reg.	94½	95¼	94½	95¼
4s, Nov., 1936, reg.	94½	95½	94½	95½
4s, 1918-1919, inter.	98	98⅝	98	98⅝
3½s, Nov., 1954-5, int.	84	84⅝	84	84⅝
3½s, May, 1954, coup.	84	84½	84	84½
3½s, 1950-1954, reg.	83½	84¼	83½	84¼

BOSTON BANK STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—The weekly statement of the Associated National Banks of Boston compares as follows:

	Dec. 28,'12	Decrease for Week.	Dec. 30,'11.
Loans	$215,230,000	$1,250,000	$218,368,000
Circulation	7,222,000	*13,000	7,782,000
Deposits	178,801,000	2,851,000	183,909,000
Due banks	70,222,000	3,123,000	73,487,000
U. S. deposits	890,000	24,000	3,201,000
Res. agents	30,194,000	78,000	30,902,000
Exch. clear	13,988,000	1,426,000	14,905,000
Due f'm b'ks.	27,175,000	2,232,000	23,508,000
5% fund	372,500	......	388,750
Legal tender	4,458,000	*207,000	4,427,000
Specie	28,095,000	686,000	25,279,000
Surplus	1,865,714	356,286	3,072,286
Surp., N. Y. [illegible]	4,011,714	*251,714	4,878,286

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Total sales Dec. 30, 1912.......... 172,064
From Jan. 1, 1912.......... 130,862,330
Same period last year.......... 126,515,906

Closing Bid	Closing Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Change.
76⅜	76½	23,800	Amalgamated Copper	75¼	77⅛	75	76¼	+½
54¼	58	200	Am. Agricul. Chem.	54⅝	54¾	54⅝	54⅝	+⅛
47½	47⅝	2,100	Am. Beet Sugar	47⅝	48	46¾	47⅝	+⅞
..	..	2,300	Am. B. S. & F. rights	½	¾	½	¾	+¼
132¼	135	100	Am. Brake S. & F. pf.	135	135	135	135	–½
29¼	29⅜	1,100	Am. Can	28½	29⅜	28¼	29⅛	+⅛
114½	115½	100	Am. Can pf.	114	114	114	114	–1
47½	48⅞	200	Am. Cities	47½	47½	47½	47½	–⅜
55	57	100	Am. Cotton Oil	56	56	56	56	–¾
158	168	175	Am. Express	160	160	160	160	–10
19¼	19½	100	Am. Ice Securities	19½	19½	19½	19½	+½
41½	42¼	300	Am. Locomotive	41⅞	42	41⅞	42	...
71⅝	72	2,100	Am. Smelt. & Ref.	72	72½	71⅝	72	...
115½	117¾	200	Am. Sugar Ref. pf.	116	116	116	116	...
140½	141¼	300	Am. Teleph. & Teleg.	141	141	141	141	...
276½	277½	100	Am. Tobacco	277½	277½	277½	277½	+1½
102½	103	100	Am. Tobacco pf. new	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝	–⅜
18	20	300	Am. Woolen	19	19	18	18	–1¾
39⅜	39⅝	1,250	Anaconda Copper Co.	39	39⅜	39	39¼	+⅜
105	105¼	1,500	Atch., Top. & S. F.	104⅞	105⅜	104⅞	105⅛	...
102¾	103	210	Atch., Top. & S. F. pf.	102⅝	102¾	102⅝	102¾	...
130⅝	131¼	400	Atlantic Coast Line	131	131	130¾	131	...
50⅞	51½	300	Baldwin Locomotive	51	51	51	51	–⅛
103⅞	104	10	Baldwin Loco. pf.	104	104	104	104	...
104½	104⅞	315	Baltimore & Ohio	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝	–⅛
..	..	19	Bank of Commerce	198	199	198	199	...
38¼	39½	400	Bethlehem Steel	38⅝	38⅝	38⅜	38⅝	–⅜
91⅜	91½	2,200	Brooklyn Rapid Tran.	91½	91⅝	90⅞	91⅝	+⅛
52⅞	53¼	400	California Petroleum	53⅛	53½	52⅞	52⅞	–⅛
84	87	300	California Pet. pf.	84	85	84	85	...
257	257¼	2,710	Canadian Pacific	257¼	258¼	256⅝	257½	–⅜
..	..	300	Can. Pacific rights	18¼	18¼	18¼	18¼	–⅞
28⅛	29	100	Central Leather Co.	28½	28½	28½	28½	+¼
92½	94	50	Cent. Leather Co. pf.	93½	93½	93½	93½	...
78	78¼	100	Chespaeake & Ohio	78½	78½	78½	78½	+¼
16	16¼	200	Chicago Gt. Western	16⅜	16⅜	16⅜	16⅜	+⅛
30½	31½	200	Chi. Gt. Western pf.	31	31⅛	31	31⅛	+⅛
111½	111¾	1,100	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	111¼	112	111¼	112	+⅝
139½	140	100	Chi., Mil. & St. P. pf.	140	140	140	140	...
135½	136½	100	Chi. & Northwestern	136	136	136	136	–½
44¼	44⅜	6,000	Chino Copper	43½	44⅜	43¼	44¼	+½
139½	140½	400	Consolidated Gas	140	140	140	140	...
14	14¼	300	Corn Products Ref.	14	14	14	14	...
75½	77	100	Corn Products Ref. pf.	76	76	76	76	+½
560	570	200	Del., Lack. & West.	571⅛	571⅛	571	571	–9
75½	76½	112	Detroit United Ry.	75	75¼	75	75	...
21	21½	900	Distillers' Securities	21	21½	21	21	–½
31¼	31⅜	1,900	Erie	31⅜	31½	31⅛	31¼	–½
48½	49¼	100	Erie 1st pf.	48¼	48¼	48¼	48¼	–¾
185¼	186	4,300	General Electric	184⅞	188¼	184⅞	185½	+⅝
2⅛	2¼	3,700	Goldfield Consol.	2⅛	2¼	2⅛	2⅛	+⅛
64¼	65	500	Goodrich (B. F.) Co.	64	64½	64	64½	+½
129¼	129½	2,000	Great Northern pf.	129½	129⅝	129	129½	–⅜
40¼	41	700	Gt. N. certs. ore prop.	40¼	40⅝	40¼	40¼	–¼
110	113	355	Homestake Mining	110	111	110	111	...
18	18¼	1,300	Inspiration Con. Cop.	18	18⅛	18	18	–¼
18¼	18⅜	2,000	Inter.-Met. v. tr. cfs.	18¼	18⅜	18⅛	18¼	–¼
63¼	63⅞	1,150	Inter.-Met. pf.	63½	63⅞	63⅛	63½	+½
90	91	200	Int. Agricultural pf.	91	91	90⅛	90⅛	–1⅞
110½	111½	400	Int. Harvester	111¼	111¼	111	111	...
113⅜	117	100	Int. Harvester pf.	114½	114½	114½	114½	–½
12	12½	100	Int. Paper	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	–⅜
48	50	100	Int. Paper pf.	48½	48½	48½	48½	+1⅝
13¾	15	2,000	Int. Steam Pump	18½	18½	12	14	–5
33¾	65	920	Int. Steam Pump pf.	69	60	63	63	–7
47	48	500	Lackawanna Steel	47¾	47¾	47½	47¾	+¼
165¼	166	1,300	Lehigh Valley	165½	165¾	165½	165½	–⅛
38½	39½	100	Loose-Wiles Biscuit	39	39	39	39	+¼
140	140½	200	Louisville & Nash	140	140	140	140	–1½
81½	84	100	Mackay Cos.	82	82	82	82	...
72½	73	100	Mexican Petroleum	72¾	72¾	72¾	72¾	–½
25½	26	800	Miami Copper	25½	25⅝	25½	25⅝	+¼
137½	139	100	M., St. P. & S. S. M.	137½	137½	137½	137½	–1½
26½	27	100	Mo., Kan. & Texas	26½	26½	26½	26½	...
40⅝	40¾	1,200	Missouri Pacific	40⅝	40⅞	40½	40⅝	–⅛
19¼	19⅝	1,100	Nev. Consol. Copper	19	19¼	19	19¼	+¼
107¼	108	100	New York Central	107⅝	107⅝	107⅝	107⅝	...
127	128	229	N. Y., N. H. & Hart.	127½	127½	127	127	–1
112¼	112¾	200	Norfolk & Western	112⅛	112¼	112⅛	112¼	–¼
79	80	100	North American	79	79	79	79	...
120¼	120½	400	Northern Pacific	120¼	120¼	120¼	120¼	+⅛
121¾	121⅞	860	Pennsylvania R. R.	121⅝	121¾	121⅝	121¾	+⅛
28¼	29	100	Pettibone, Mulliken Co	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	...
97½	99½	200	Pettibone-M. 1st pf.	97¾	98⅝	97¾	98⅝	+⅝
100	105	10	P., C., C. & St. Louis	104	104	104	104	...
23	23½	100	Pittsburgh Coal	23	23	23	23	–⅝
91	91½	400	Pittsburgh Coal pf.	92	92	91¼	91¼	–¾
117¾	119	200	Pub. Serv. Corp. N. J.	118¼	118¼	118¼	118¼	+½
21	21⅛	2,900	Ray Consol. Copper	21	21⅛	20⅞	21	...
166	166¼	25,200	Reading	166	166⅝	165¼	166⅛	–¼
85	86	10	Rep. Iron & Steel pf.	86¼	86¼	86¼	86¼	...
23⅛	23¼	1,000	Rock Island Co.	23¼	23½	23⅛	23¼	–⅛
42½	43	200	Rock Island Co. pf.	42¼	42¼	42¼	42¼	–1¼
99	100½	100	Rumely (M.) Co. pf.	99½	99½	99½	99½	+¾
55	60	100	St. L. & S. F. 1st pf.	58½	58½	58½	58½	–¼
27	27¼	450	St. L. & S. F. 2d pf.	27½	27½	26⅞	26⅞	–1⅜
32½	35½	100	St. Louis Southwest'n	35	35	35	35	–¼
74	77	100	St. L. Southwest'n pf.	76	76	76	76	–½
45¼	45¾	200	Seaboard Air Line pf.	45¼	45½	45¼	45½	...
210	212	300	Sears, Roebuck & Co.	211	211	211	211	–1
104¾	105	2,300	Southern Pacific	105	105½	104¾	104¾	–⅜
..	110	34	South P. R. Sugar pf.	108	108	108	108	...
27¾	28	600	Southern R'way ext.	27⅞	28	27⅞	27¾	...
80	80½	135	South. R'way pf. ext.	79½	79½	79½	79½	–⅝
33½	36	300	Studebaker Co.	35	35	34	34½	–½
37¾	38¼	300	Tennessee Copper	38	38¼	38	38¼	+¼
108½	109¼	300	Texas Co.	109¼	109¼	108½	108¾	...
22	22½	400	Texas & Pacific	22¼	22¼	22	22	–½
39¾	40	800	Third Avenue	39⅜	40¼	39⅜	40	+⅝
110	113¼	10	Underw'd Typew'r pf.	114	114	114	114	...
7⅛	7⅜	500	Union Bag & Paper	7⅜	7⅜	7¼	7¼	–⅛
40	41¼	100	Union B. & Paper pf.	40½	40½	40½	40½	+½
158¾	158⅞	13,600	Union Pacific	158⅞	159⅜	158⅛	158⅞	–⅛
91½	92	600	Union Pacific pf.	91½	91½	91⅛	91¼	–1¼
99¾	100	10	United Dry Goods	100	100	100	100	...
62¾	63¼	1,500	U. S. Rubber	64	64	62⅞	63	–¾
106¾	107⅛	100	U. S. Rubber 1st pf.	107	107	107	107	...
79¼	79⅝	100	U. S. Rubber 2d pf.	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛	+⅛
66⅞	67	33,700	U. S. Steel	66¼	67⅛	66⅛	67	...
109¼	109⅜	560	U. S. Steel pf.	109⅛	109¼	109	109	–¼
57¾	58	2,200	Utah Copper	58	58⅜	57¾	58	...
115	117	300	Va.-Caro. Chemical	115	115	115	115	+¼
4	4¼	100	Wabash	4	4	4	4	...
45⅜	46	500	Western Maryland	45¼	45½	45¼	45½	–½
67	69	200	Western Maryland pf.	67½	68	67¼	68	...
79	80	400	Westinghouse E. & M.	81	81	79⅞	79⅞	+1⅜
108	109	100	Woolworth (F. W.) Co.	108¼	108½	108½	108¼	+¼

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE.

Total sales Dec. 30, 1912.......... $1,759,000
From Jan. 1, 1912.......... 671,869,000
Same period last year.......... 889,567,100

Jap Gov 4½s, str ln
2,000.......... 90¼
N Y State 4s, 1961
5,000.......... 100⅞
N Y Canal 4s, 1962
3,000.......... 101⅛
N Y City 4s, 1958
15,000.......... 95⅜
4s, 1959
21,000.......... 95⅝
5,000.......... 95¾
16,000.......... 95⅝
4,000.......... 95½
N Y City 4¼s
5,000.......... 100¼
1,000.......... 100
4½s, 1957
1,000.......... 104⅜
2,000.......... 104¼
5,000.......... 104⅜
new
8,000.......... 104⅜
4½s, 1917
1,000.......... 101⅛
2,000.......... 101¼

Adams Express 4s
10,000.......... 83
Alb & Susq 3½s
5,000.......... 88¾
Allis-Chalm 5s, Tr Co ctfs of dep
3,000.......... 57⅛
Am Hide & L 6s
7,000.......... 100½
Am Sm Secur 6s
5,000.......... 103½
Am T & T col 4s
1,000.......... 88⅞
2,000.......... 88¾
Am Wr Paper 5s
1,000.......... 88½
Armour & Co 4½s
16,000.......... 91½
Atch, Top & S Fe conv 4s, 1960
10,000.......... 102⅝
11,000.......... 102½
5,000.......... 102⅝
10,000.......... 102⅞
2,000.......... 103
conv 5s
5,000.......... 105½
gen 4s
5,000.......... 96⅜
500.......... 96½
5,000.......... 96⅜
10,000.......... 96¼
Atl Coast Line 4s
2,000.......... 93¼
Lou & N col 4s
4,000.......... 92¼
B & O pr lien 3½s
4,000.......... 91½
1,000.......... 91¼
1,000.......... 91⅛
500.......... 91
5,000.......... 91¼
gold 4s
3,000.......... 97¼
10,000.......... 97
S W Div 3½s
4,000.......... 89⅞
5,000 c.......... 90½
20,000.......... 90
Beth Steel 5s
5,000.......... 95
B R T ref conv 4s
2,000.......... 91¼
10,000.......... 91¼
1,000.......... 91⅛
12,000.......... 91
27,000.......... 91¼
1,000.......... 91¼
1,000.......... 91⅛
Bur, C R & Nor col trust 5s
5,000.......... 108⅞
Cal Gas & Elec 5s
10,000.......... 94¼
Canada So 2d 5s
20,000.......... 100⅝
C of Ga Ry con 5s
1,000.......... 108
Cent Leather 5s
3,000.......... 94¼
15,000.......... 94⅛
Cent Pac gtd 4s
4,000.......... 95
Ches & O gen 4½s
1,000.......... 100⅝
conv 4½s
2,000.......... 92⅛
15,000.......... 92⅜
5,000.......... 92¼
Chi & Alton 3½s
2,000.......... 64¼
C, B & Q joint 4s
2,000.......... 95¾
11,000.......... 95⅝
2,000.......... 95⅝
5,000.......... 95⅝
10,000.......... 95⅝
2,000 c.......... 95¼
5,000.......... 95⅝
8,000.......... 95⅝
12,000.......... 95½
Ill Div 4s
10,000.......... 98½
Denver Div 4s
2,000.......... 99⅛
C, B & Q gen 4s
5,000.......... 94¾
Chi & E Ill gen 5s
1,000.......... 107
Chi, Mil & St P conv 4½s
8,000.......... 105¼
64,000.......... 105⅛
25,000 c.......... 105⅜
20,000.......... 105¼
1,000.......... 105⅝
14,000.......... 105¼
Chi & N W gen 4s
1,000.......... 97¾
Chi, Rock Isl & P Ry deb 5s
15,000.......... 80
C, R I & P R R 4s
2,000.......... 65⅛
5,000.......... 65
2,000.......... 65¼
10,000.......... 65
8,000.......... 65⅛
Chino Copper 6s
5,000.......... 175
Col Industrial 5s
12,000.......... 83½
Col Mid 1st 4s
3,000.......... 35¼
Col & Southn ref & ext 4½s
2,000.......... 93⅝
1,000.......... 93⅝
Del & Hudson 1st & ref 4s
3,000.......... 98½
conv 4s
4,000.......... 97¼
9,000.......... 97⅛
Den & Rio Grande 1st & ref 5s
1,000.......... 82¾
1,000.......... 82⅝
2,000.......... 82½
Dist Secur Corp 5s
9,000.......... 69
Erie 1st gen 4s
3,000.......... 74⅞
10,000.......... 75
conv 4s, Ser A
2,000.......... 83½
Series B
1,000.......... 76
Gen Elec deb 5s, temp rcts, full paid
3,000.......... 103⅞
2,000.......... 103½
7,000.......... 103⅝
Gen Motors 6s
1,000.......... 98⅝
Gt Nor ref 4¼s
5,000.......... 100¼
Ill Cent 4s, 1953
1,000.......... 96
Indiana Steel 5s
31,000.......... 100⅞
3,000.......... 101
Insp Con Cop 6s, sub rcts, 2d pd
3,000.......... 105⅞
6,000.......... 105½
Inter-Met 4½s
1,000.......... 80⅛
21,000.......... 80⅜
9,000.......... 80½
Internatl Nav 5s
5,000.......... 79¼
Int Paper conv 5s
8,000.......... 87
Inter Paper 6s
5,000.......... 102½
Int Stm Pump 5s
5,000.......... 88⅛
K C, Ft S & M 6s
7,000.......... 111⅞
Kan City Ter 4s
2,000.......... 96⅜
Lack Steel 5s, 1915
1,000.......... 93⅝
2,000.......... 94
1923
2,000.......... 95
1,000.......... 95¼
1950
15,000.......... 80¼
Laclede Gas Light of St L 1st 5s
1,000.......... 101½
L S & M So 4s, 1928
1,000.......... 92½
1931
10,000.......... 92⅜
6,000.......... 92¼
Liggett & M 7s temp bonds
2,000.......... 119½
Ligg & M 5s
5,000.......... 96¼
Long Island gen 4s
4,000.......... 94
P. Lorillard Co 7s temp bonds
2,000.......... 121⅛
Lorillard Co 5s
3,000.......... 97
9,000.......... 97¼
Louis & Nash unif 4s
1,000.......... 98
1,000.......... 98¼
Mer Marine col tr 4½s
5,000.......... 65½
Mex Pet 1st ref cv 6s, Series A
10,000.......... 100
Mich State T 5s
1,000.......... 99
Milwaukee Gas 4s
6,000.......... 90
Mo, K & T 2d 4s
9,000.......... 79½
7,000.......... 79⅝
Mo, Kan & Texas 1st & ref 4s
1,000.......... 78
Mo Pac conv 5s
2,000.......... 87
500.......... 86½
Mo Pacific 4s
1,000.......... 70
N Y Central deb 4s, 1934
1,000.......... 91
9,000.......... 90⅞
N Y Central gen 3½s
1,000.......... 86
N Y, C & St L 1st 4s
6,000.......... 99½
N Y Dock 4s
5,000.......... 86
N Y G, E L, H & P col tr 5s
2,000.......... 101½
1,000.......... 101⅜
pur money 4s
5,000.......... 84¾
N Y, N H & H conv deb 6s
6,000.......... 125⅛
4,000.......... 125¼
6,000.......... 125⅛
10,000.......... 125¼
5,000.......... 125⅜
conv 3½s
10,000.......... 86½
N Y Rys ref 4s
15,000.......... 77
5,000.......... 77¼
adj 5s
101,000.......... 56⅞
25,000.......... 56⅞
3,000.......... 57
15,000.......... 56⅞
10,000.......... 56⅞
N Y Tel 4½s
1,000.......... 97¼
N Y, Westchester & Boston 4½s
1,000.......... 97½
Norf & Western divisional 4s
5,000.......... 92½
Northern Pac 4s
8,000.......... 98
Northern Pac 3s
3,000.......... 68
Oregon R & N con 4s
5,000.......... 93¼
Oregon-Wash R R & Nav 1st & ref 4s
3,000.......... 90¼
1,000.......... 90⅛
Pac Tel & T 5s
9,000.......... 99⅛
14,000.......... 99¼
1,000.......... 99¼
Penn conv 3½s
9,000.......... 96⅝
Peo & E 1st 4s
2,000.......... 88
Phila Co conv 5s, 1922
10,000.......... 97⅛
Public Service Corp sink fund 5s
4,000.......... 92¼
7,000.......... 92
5,000.......... 92⅛
Reading gen 4s
3,000.......... 95⅞
7,000.......... 95⅞
5,000.......... 95⅞
6,000.......... 97
7,000.......... 96⅞
Rep Iron & Steel s f 5s, 1940
6,000.......... 91½
St L, Iron Mt & So unif & ref 4s
1,000.......... 81⅝
River & Gulf 4s
1,000.......... 83¼
St L & S F R R gen 5s
6,000.......... 81⅝
4,000.......... 82
S W Div 5s
2,000.......... 100
St L S Wn 1st 4s
1,000.......... 89⅜
2d inc 4s
6,000.......... 81½
St P & Kan City S Line 1st 4½s
50,000.......... 90
Seaboard Air Line ref 4s
1,000.......... 79
adjustment 5s
1,000.......... 76⅛
10,000.......... 76
So Bell Tel & Tel 1st 5s
1,000.......... 98⅝
So Pac conv 4s
32,000.......... 92¼
So Pac 1st ref 4s
6,000.......... 93⅝
So Ry gen 4s
4,000.......... 77⅜
10,000.......... 77¼
9,000.......... [illegible]
M & O col 4s
2,000.......... 86
Texas Co conv 6s
1,000.......... 99
10,000.......... 99¼
18,000.......... 99
Tex & Pac 1st 5s
2,000.......... 107
Third Av 1st 5s
2,000.......... 107⅞
Third Av ref 4s
2,000.......... 81⅝
2,000.......... 81½
1,000.......... 81
Third Av adj 5s
9,000.......... 75½
7,000.......... 75⅝
Tol, St L & Wn 4s
2,000.......... 55
Tri-City 5s
1,000.......... 98
Underground Elect Rys of London 4½s
4,000.......... 94¼
Union Pac 1st 4s
5,000.......... 98⅛
500.......... 98¼
10,000.......... 98⅜
4,000.......... 98¼
20,000.......... 98⅞
500.......... 98¼
1,000.......... 98⅛
Un Pac conv 4s
5,000.......... 96⅛
25,000.......... 96¼
5,000.......... 96⅜
16,000.......... 96½
U S Steel Corp s f 5s
30,000.......... 101
5,000.......... 101⅛
2,000.......... 101⅛
7,000.......... 101⅛
1,000.......... 101⅛
3,000.......... 101⅛
10,000.......... 101⅛
registered
500.......... 101¼
Va-Car Ch 1st 5s
3,000.......... 97¼
1,000.......... 97⅛
Wabash 1st 5s
5,000.......... 105¼
Wabash, Pitts Ter 2d, Trust Co ctfs
5,000.......... 2¼
West Md 4s
4,000.......... 83½
West Un Tel col tr 5s
5,000.......... 101
Westinghouse El & M 1st conv 5s
2,000.......... [illegible]
1,000.......... [illegible]
5,000.......... 93¼
Wis Cent gen 4s
5,000.......... 91½

SILVER QUOTATIONS.

Bar silver was unchanged in London at [illegible] 13-16d, and unchanged in New York at 62½c per ounce.

ENDS A COAL COMBINATION.

Court Orders Sale of Kanawha and West Virginia Lands.

Special to The New York Times.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 30.—The United States Court to-day handed down a decision in the case of the Government against the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, the Chesapeake & Ohio, the Hocking Valley, and othr roads tried in the Federal court last June, which adjudged the roads guilty of a violation of the Sherman law against restraint of trade. The decision made imperative the sale of extensive coal lands now owned by the roads and of stock in other roads by which the monopoly was formed. It is expected that the coal trade from the Kanawha and West Virginia coal fields will be revolutionized and a big change in shipping rates will follow.

The decision ordered the sale of more than 100,000 acres of the finest coal land in the Kanawha district, owned by the Chesapeake & Ohio and the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Roads, and the Sunday Creek Coal Company, which, it was brought out in the trial, was controlled by the roads involved. The order of sale must be complied with at once. To that end the Trustees in whose name the stock was held were made parties to the suit. The decision further directed that the joint ownership of the Kanawha & Michigan Railroad by the Chesapeake & Ohio and Lake Shore & Michigan Southern be terminated. That road was made a common carrier of coal by both owning companies, and chiefly was responsible for the accusation of violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The court also ordered that the equity of the Lake Shore and the Chesapeake & Ohio in the capital stock of the Sunday Creek Company be disposed of by absolute sale. It decided to hear further argument on these questions:

Whether the holders of the capital stock of the Hocking Valley and Chesapeake & Ohio Railroads are indispensable parties to the case.

In what manner to terminate the joint ownership and control of the Kanawha & Michigan.

Suspend Increased Lumber Rates.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The Inter-State Commerce Commission to-day suspended proposed transcontinental freight tariffs advancing rates on lumber from British Columbia and Alberta, Canada and Oregon, Washington and other Northwestern States, shipped through Colorado gateways to Eastern destinations. The proposed tariffs increased the rate from Portland, Ore., to Chicago from 65 cents a hundred pounds to 80 cents, and from Portland to New York City, from 85 cents to $1.08½.

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS.

Closing quotations for Government bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
2s, r, 1930	101¼	101⅝	Pan 2s, r, 1938	100⅞	..
2s, c, 1930	101¼	101⅝	Pan 3s, r, 1961	101⅜	102¼
3s, r, 1918	102½	103⅝	Pan 3s, c, 1961	101⅜	102¼
3s, c, 1918	102⅝	103¼	D C 3-65s	..	106½
4s, r, 1925	113⅝	114¼			
4s, c, 1925	113⅝	114¼			
Pan 2s, r, 1936	100⅞	101¼			

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
Adams Exp.	145	155
Allis-Chalm.	..	¼
Do 2d pd.	1¼	1⅜
Allis-Ch pf.	2	..
Do 2d pd.	4½	5
Am Ag Ch pf.	97¾	100
Am B S pf.	85	90
A B S & F.	92	96¾
Am Cit pf.	..	79
Am C & F.	53⅝	54
Do pf.	113	118
Am Coal	70	95
Am C O pf.	96	97
Am C Prod	..	92
Do pf.	109	115
A H & L.	5	5¼
Do pf.	25	27
Am Linseed	11¼	12
Do pf.	31½	32½
Am Loc pf.	106	106⅜
Am Malt	11	12½
Do pf.	57	60
Am S pf. B	84½	85½
Am S & R pf.	105	105¼
Am Snuff	185	190
Do pf. n.	101½	105
Am St Fds.	35	36
Am Sug R.	117	119½
Am T & C.	..	70
A W W pf.	97½	98½
Am W pf.	78	80
A W Pa pf.	30½	31½
Ann Arbor	15	30
Do pf.	50	80
Assets Real	120	125
Assoc Oil	40	44½
B & O pf.	86½	87
Batopilas M	1¼	1⅝
Beth S pf.	67½	68¾
B Un Gas	138	144
Bruns Ter.	8	8½
B, R & P.	114	119½
Do pf.	125	140
But'k Co.	28⅝	29
Canada So.	..	67
Case (J. I.) pf.	98¼	100
C R R of N J	360	370
C & S A T.	109	115
Chi & Alt.	18	20
Do pf.	25	40
Chi, I & L pf.	50	80
Chi & N W pf.	180	190
Chi, St P, M & Om.	125	132
Do pf.	150	160
Cin, S & C pf.	139	..
C, C, C & St L.	46	55
Do pf.	90	95
Col R & I.	33½	34
Do pf.	..	155
Col & So.	32	34
Do 1st pf.	68	72
Do 2d pf.	63	70
Crex Carpet	75	88
Cuba R R pf.	..	95
Cub-Am S pf.	..	94¼
Del & Hud.	163	165
Den & R G	20½	21¼
Do pf.	38	39¼
D M & Ft D.	4	10
D & Co pf.	99⅝	99⅞
Det, H & S W.	93½	99
Det & M.	105	..
Do pf.	105	..
D, S S & A	7	8½
Do pf.	13½	15½
Du P de N Pow pf.	..	99
Erie 2d pf.	39	40
F M & S.	13	18
Do pf.	40	42½
Gen Chem.	180	200
Do pf.	108	110
Gen Motors	32	34¼
Do pf.	76	77⅝
G & S Tel.	115	..
G'drich, (B. F.) pf.	103	105
Gugg Expl.	50½	51¼
G. W. Helme	175	188
Do pf.	105	107
Hav Elec.	86	90
Do pf.	90	99
Hock Val.	..	105
Ill Central	126	127
Inger-Rand	105	..
Do pf.	92	96
Int Agric.	25	40
Iowa Cent.	10	13
Do pf.	23	28
Jol & Chi.	161	..
Kayser, (J.)	85	91
Do 1st pf.	107	110
K C, Ft S & M pf.	78	78
Kan C So.	26¼	27
Do pf.	60½	62¼
K & D M.	5	8
Do pf.	48	60
Kresge (SS)	75	79½
Do pf.	99	101½
Kn I, C. pf	65	75
Lacl Gas.	103	103¼
L E & W.	11	18
Do pf.	34	36
L-W Bis 1st pf.	103½	108½
Do 2d pf.	90	100
Lig & M.	210	214
Do pf.	115	118
Long Island	43	48
Mackay Cos pf.	68¼	69
Man Elev.	128⅞	130

	Bid.	Asked.
M Dep Sts.	76	78½
Do pf.	103	105½
Mer Marine	4⅜	5
Do pf.	18	19
Mex Pet pf.	98	100
Mich Cent.	..	190
M & St L.	22¾	24
Do pf.	45½	48
M, St P & S S M pf.	145	152
Do l l.	82	85
Mo, K & T pf.	60	63
M & B pf.	60	80
Mor & Es.	165	175
N, C & St L.	170	180
Nat Biscuit	123	127½
Do pf.	120	125½
Nat Enam.	17	18
Do pf.	82	92
Nat Lead	55½	56½
Do pf.	106	108½
Nat Rys of M 1st pf.	63	66
Do 2d pf.	27	27½
N O, M & C pf.	10	25
N Y A Br.	76	78
N Y, C & St L.	54	60
Do 1st pf.	99	..
Do 2d pf.	80	90
N Y D pf.	32	42
N Y, L & W.	118	126
N Y, O & West.	31	31½
N Y S Rys.	87⅞	89½
N O T & L	75	76
Norf South.	43	47½
N & W pf.	85	90
Ont Mining	2½	3
Pabst B pf.	105¼	109
Pac Coast	79	90
Do 1st pf.	85	100
Do 2d pf.	85	100
Pac Mail	29	31
Pac T & T.	46	47½
Do pf.	97½	101½
Peo G, Chi.	114	114½
Peo & East	12	17
P. Lorillard	180	203
Do pf.	114	116
Phelps-D	210	..
Phila Co.	99⅞	102
P, C, C & St L pf.	109	120
Pitts S pf.	99	100
P, Y & A pf.	161	..
Pr St Car.	35	36
Do pf.	99½	101
Pullman Co	163	165
Quicksilver	4	4½
Do pf.	4½	7½
R R Sec, I C stk ctfs	80	89
Ry St Spr.	33½	36¼
Do pf.	98	100
Rdg 1st pf.	89	90⅞
Do 2d pf.	92	93
Rep I & S.	25½	26
R G M Co pf.	100	110
R'ly Co.	91	92
St L & S F	17¼	18
St L & S F, C & E I new ctfs.	44	47½
Do pf ctfs.	100	104
Sears-R pf.	..	124½
Seab A L.	18¾	19¼
S-S S & I.	42	46
Do pf.	93¼	98
So P R S.	70	75
So Ry, M & Ohio ctfs.	78	81
Stand M.	34½	36
Do pf.	64½	65½
Studeb pf.	92	94½
T P L Tr.	93	96½
T, P & W.	15¼	..
Tol R & L	2¾	3½
Tol, St L & West.	11	11¾
Do pf.	27	29
T C R T.	103	105
Do pf.	138¼	145
Und Typew.	97	99
Un Cig M.	50	52½
Do pf.	104	109
Un D G pf.	103	105
U Rys Inv.	35	36
Do pf.	62½	63½
U S C I P.	15½	18½
Do pf.	57½	60
U S Exp.	65	67
U S Ind A	40	48
Do pf.	93	105
U S R & I.	74	75
U S R & R	1	2
Do pf.	3	4
Va-Car Ch Co.	42¾	43
Va I, C & Coke	56	61
Va R & P.	48	50¼
Do pf.	89¼	..
Vulcan Det.	..	24½
Do pf.	85½	90
Wabash pf.	13	13¼
W F Exp.	122	130
Weym-Bru.	250	300
Do pf.	110	118
W Un Tel.	74½	75½
Westingh'se Air Brake	283	290
Westingh'se El 1st pf.	119¼	121½
Wh & L E.	7⅞	8
Do 1st pf.	26	29
Do 2d pf.	12	15
Wis Cent.	48	50
W'w'th pf.	113½	114¾

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The Treasury statement issued to-day gives receipts and expenditures for Dec. 28 and for the elapsed periods of the month and of the fiscal year as follows:

	Dec. 28.	Month.	Fiscal Year.
Customs	$1,165,547	$22,510,612	$154,210,152
Internal rev.	1,483,139	25,779,937	158,214,234
Corporat'n tax	46,519	168,492	2,330,842
Miscellaneous	613,460	3,499,780	20,177,482
Total receipts	3,308,645	51,979,711	336,942,501
Expenditures	1,778,830	50,640,843	332,229,640
Surplus	1,529,815	1,360,832	*1,287,148

*Deficit.

These figures exclude Panama Canal and public debt transactions.

The condition of the United States Treasury at the beginning of business to-day was: Working balance, $89,782,207. In banks and Philippine Treasury, [illegible]. Total of general fund, $141,786,979.

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Herman F. Dietmann, Asst. Treas.

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On accounts not exceeding three thousand dollars at the rate of FOUR PER CENT. per annum, Payable on and after Monday, Jan. 20th, 1913.

DANIEL BARNES, President.
GEORGE M. HALSEY, Cashier.
WILLISTON H. BENEDICT, Secretary.
New York, Dec. 16th, 1912.

Union Dime Savings Bank

6th Avenue and 40th Street

An Interest Dividend (107th consecutive) has been declared at the rate of Three and One-Half Per Cent. per annum. Credited January 1, 1913, and payable on or after Thursday, January 16, 1913, on all sums entitled thereto under the By-Laws. Money deposited on or before January 10, 1913, draws interest from January 1, 1913.

ALEX. P. W. KINNAN, President.
FRANCIS M. LEAKE, Treasurer.
WILLIAM G. ROSS, Secretary.

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The 129th semi-annual dividend has been declared at the rate of **Four Per Cent.** per annum on all accounts entitled thereto, payable on and after January 20th. Deposits made on or before January 10th will draw interest from January 1st, 1913.

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An interest dividend at the rate of 3½ PER CENT. per annum for the six months ending December 31, 1912, on all sums entitled thereto from $5 to $3,000, will be credited December 31, 1912, and will be entered on the passbooks and paid January 20, 1913, or at any time thereafter.

Deposits made on or before January 10, 1913, will draw interest from January 1, 1913.

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RUSSELL S. WALKER, Treasurer.

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Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the provisions of Section 10, Article Fourth, of the mortgage and deed of trust executed by this Company to The Equitable Trust Company of New York, as Trustee, dated January 3d, 1905, to secure its First Refunding Mortgage Gold Bonds, this Company has set apart out of the net income derived by it from the lines of railroad subject to the lien of said mortgage and deed of trust the sum of $12,000 in the year 1912, in trust to be used to redeem said bonds, and that bonds will be redeemed therewith. Bids are hereby invited for the surrender of such bonds at prices to be named by the bidders to the amount of $12,546.91, in the sinking fund. Such bids should be presented to this Company at its office, 165 Broadway, in the City and State of New York, on or before the first day of February, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, and should be endorsed "Bids for surrender of Southern Pacific Railroad Company's First Refunding Mortgage Gold Bonds."

Dated San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 28, 1912.
SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD CO.,
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PLANS TO STOP FRAUDS

Legislation to Prohibit Issue of Unsound Securities Also to be Looked After.

A movement is underway in the principal cities of this country and Canada to effect an international organization of stock brokers. A meeting is to be held in this city on Feb. 20, and a proposed constitution has been drafted, which will be offered for adoption at that time.

The chief purpose of the organization will be to put the public on its guard against get-rich-quick schemers who call themselves brokers and deal, largely by mail, in securities which in Kansas would be barred by the "Blue Sky law," such schemers, for instance, as Burr Brothers, B. H. Scheftels & Co., and numerous others who have swindled unsophisticated investors. Reports of the Post Office Department show that firms of this sort which it has put out of business have victimized the public to the extent of $400,000,000, to say nothing of those which have not fallen afoul of the postal law.

The members of the International Brokers' Association, as it is to be called, will use its name on their letterheads, and if the hopes of its promoters that practically all legitimate brokers will become members are realized, the presumption will be that in dealing with a broker who is not a member that the customer should move warily. It is also expected that by eliminating the frauds, legitimate brokers will be able to build up their mail business to a great extent.

Another object will be to obtain legislation which will prohibit the flotation of unsound or questionable securities. The association will work for the establishment of a National Bureau of Investigation, to examine into all corporate promotions and report favorably or unfavorably upon them, for the benefit of the public.

Membership in the association will include both Stock Exchange houses and dealers in unlisted securities. In this city the lead in organizing the association has been taken by Norbert R. Pendergast of Pendergast, Hale & Co., a Stock Exchange house.

Mr. Pendergast, who will be toastmaster at the dinner on Feb. 20, has had much experience as an organizer. At the instance of Daniel W. Lamont and Gen. Louis Fitzgerald, he was active in the formation of the Army Relief Society, which extends from Maine to California, and for several years served as Treasurer, in which post he was succeeded by Cornelius N. Bliss, Jr. Mr. Pendergast also was Treasurer of the Anti-Policy Society, and after the death of its President, F. Norton Goddard, carried on the campaign which resulted in closing hundreds of policy shops.

Mr. Pendergast said yesterday that the organization of the International Brokers' Association had not yet proceeded far enough to warrant any statement from him as to its affairs.

The Chairmen of the organizing committees in the principal cities are as follows:

New York, Norbert R. Pendergast; Cleveland, D. P. Osborne; Philadelphia, George J. Childs; Denver, C. W. Savery; Toledo, Charles M. Cook; Detroit, Lewis G. Gorton; Toronto, M. R. Edgar; Pittsburgh, Charles A. Parker; St. Louis, Little & Hays; Chicago, Frederick W. Hall; Montreal, O. B. D'Aoust; Lawrence, Kan., E. C. Perkins; Buffalo, George M. Kellogg; Bloomfield, West Va., J. Elliott Hall; Indianapolis, Livingstone Investment Company; Mobile, McArthney & Schley; Bangor, M. W. Shute, and Troy, Charles A. Stone.

Mr. D'Aoust of Montreal was active some years ago in the formation of a similar organization in France.

BANK EARNINGS COMPUTED.

On Capital and Deposits Handled Leading Institutions Earn 2%.

What the big banks earn on their deposits and on the bank's own funds has been figured out by the National City Bank, which gives the results from an analysis of the business of twenty-four of the leading National banks of New York City for the last five years in its January circular issued to patrons. Coming at the height of the Money Trust inquiry, the small figures of the average returns, as compared with the profits of capital invested in other enterprises, give point to the National City Bank's introductory remarks, which point out that, while the last quarter of this year has been one of large earnings by the banks throughout the country, the customers have been taken care of "at moderate rates; commonly in the larger centres at 6 per cent."

Bank profits are based upon the annual statements for the five years from 1906 to 1910, inclusive. The circular says:

"Evidently the amount of deposits which a bank handles and for which it is responsible must be considered in making any proper calculation of profits; for, unless a bank can make a reasonable profit upon these funds, the shareholders had better put the bank into liquidation and lend their own capital without the risks and expenses attendant upon banking."

On this basis, the average capital of the twenty-four banks being $4,459,167, surplus and undivided profits $5,450,040, net deposits $36,936,151, and net annual earnings $936,301, the average earnings on capital and surplus, undivided profits, and net deposits amounts to only 2 per cent. for the five-year average.

The National City Bank's own averages for the five years are $50,332,340 "invested capital" and average net deposits of $166,009,400. The circular says:

"The average annual earnings upon capital, surplus, undivided profits, and net deposits was 2.37 per cent., the bank having made no loans at a higher rate than 6 per cent. Computed only on the bank's own working capital, the earnings would have averaged annually 10.2 per cent. The average net earnings of all the National banks in the United States, as exhibited in the annual report of the Controller of the Currency, was 9.8 per cent. for the same five years."

BARS MISSOURI PACIFIC PLAN.

State Commission Forbids Proposed Texas Road Merger.

Special to The New York Times.

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 30.—The personal efforts of B. F. Bush, President of the Missouri Pacific, to overcome the objections of the State Railroad Commission to the proposed consolidation of the International & Great Northern Railroad with the Missouri Pacific, met a rebuff to-day when Allison Mayfield, Chairman of the commission, stated emphatically that under no condition would he consent to the consummation of the merger plan, and that if such action were taken he would instruct the Attorney General to file suit against the International & Great Northern for forfeiture of its charter on the ground that its control by a corporation outside the State would be in violation of the laws and Constitution of Texas. The two other members of the commission joined Mr. Mayfield in opposing the pending transaction.

It was reported the opposition would cause the Missouri Pacific to abandon its plan of taking over the International & Great Northern, and that instead of obtaining a Gulf outlet through Galveston, it would make New Orleans its Gulf port. Mr. Bush was to have conferred with the Railroad Commissioners to-day, but in view of the public announcement by Mr. Mayfield, he did not appear.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

	1912.	Increase.
ALABAMA GREAT SOUTHERN—		
3d week of December	$105,595	$7,081
July 1-Dec. 21	2,424,232	182,955
ANN ARBOR—		
3d week of December	[illegible]	456
July 1-Dec. 21	[illegible]	*27,602
CINCINNATI, NEW ORLEANS & TEXAS PACIFIC—		
3d week of December	[illegible]	41,520
July 1-Dec. 21	[illegible]	[illegible]
DETROIT & MACKINAC—		
3d week of December	23,579	3,914
July 1-Dec. 21	578,772	12,643
GEORGIA SOUTHERN & FLORIDA—		
3d week of December	57,478	3,935
July 1-Dec. 21	1,194,830	22,690
MOBILE & OHIO—		
3d week of December	236,512	*7,712
July 1-Dec. 21	5,752,902	177,344
RIO GRANDE SOUTHERN—		
3d week of December	13,708	4,591
July 1-Dec. 21	320,927	80,638
SEABOARD AIR LINE—		
3d week of December	505,330	28,058
July 1-Dec. 21	11,002,870	372,748
TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS & WESTERN—		
3d week of December	96,729	8,189
July 1-Dec. 21	2,006,500	13,805
TWIN CITY LINES—		
3d week of December	167,302	10,941
Jan. 1-Dec. 21	7,885,207	379,154

*Decrease.

ALABAMA GREAT SOUTHERN for November—

	1912.	1911.	1910.
Av. mileage	309	309	309
Gross	456,279	424,618	382,230
Net after taxes	131,190	116,146	94,235
5 mos. gross	2,150,596	1,967,867	1,899,125
Net after taxes	597,641	548,013	505,815

ATLANTIC COAST LINE for November—

	1912.	1911.	1910.
Gross	3,071,228	2,857,845	2,786,896
Net after taxes	866,031	929,439	948,873
5 mos. gross	13,466,077	12,553,231	11,808,739
Net after taxes	2,986,869	3,426,552	3,250,690

CANADIAN PACIFIC for November—

	1912.	1911.	1910.
Gross	12,862,666	10,580,694	9,413,238
Net	4,258,139	3,987,366	3,737,122
5 mos. gross	61,306,911	51,921,493	47,082,366
5 mos. net	22,735,433	20,364,517	19,330,179

CENTRAL OF GEORGIA for November—

	1912.	1911.	1910.
Av. mileage	1,915	1,915	1,915
Gross	1,255,811	1,251,803	1,190,543
Net after taxes	323,575	358,838	391,244
5 mos. gross	6,079,076	6,002,610	5,486,494
Net after taxes	1,576,736	1,727,751	1,593,185

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA & WESTERN reports to the Inter-State Commerce Commission for November—

	1912.	1911.	1910.
Mileage	959	930	930
Freight rev	$2,764,400	$2,446,093	$2,373,788
Passenger rev	656,500	604,611	586,575
Total oper. rev	3,665,305	3,248,928	3,146,620
Maintenance of way & struct.	422,565	320,671	326,459
Maint. of equip.	489,729	519,538	432,063
Transp. exps	1,156,492	963,235	950,957
Total oper. exps.	2,200,627	1,934,519	1,818,411
Taxes	125,760	178,500	138,650
Oper. income	1,421,143	1,180,638	1,225,421
July 1 to Nov. 30:			
Freight rev	13,017,671	11,634,139	11,082,608
Passenger rev	3,638,933	3,524,567	3,467,733
Total oper. rev	17,807,322	16,146,391	15,501,443
Maintenance of way & struct.	2,302,626	2,140,242	2,033,238
Maint. of equip.	2,536,029	2,447,812	2,120,355
Transp. exps	5,101,666	4,575,940	4,430,375
Total oper. exps.	10,680,440	9,812,636	9,169,202
Taxes	758,340	822,500	673,250
Oper. income	6,650,090	5,720,165	5,758,477

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA & WESTERN for November—

Mileage	959	930	930
Gross	$3,665,305	$3,248,928	$3,146,620
Net after taxes	1,421,143	1,180,638	1,225,421
Five mos. gross	17,807,322	16,146,391	15,501,443
Net after taxes	6,650,090	5,720,165	5,758,477

DETROIT & MACKINAC for November—

Gross	99,232	96,303	90,285
Net after taxes	22,008	16,458	23,557
Five mos. gross	537,369	522,016	508,688
Net after taxes	127,454	111,335	151,378

ERIE for November—

Gross	5,447,117	4,905,765	4,818,007
Net after taxes	1,397,576	1,373,344	1,346,290
Five mos. gross	27,794,148	25,493,631	25,049,635
Net after taxes	7,876,311	7,440,273	7,309,459

ERIE reports to the up-State Public Service Commission for the quarter ended Sept. 30—

Gross	14,141,585	13,224,711	12,917,901
Net after taxes	4,851,209	4,372,255	4,760,549
Other income	462,442	373,811	350,717
Total income	5,313,650	4,746,066	4,731,646
Surp. after chgs.	1,488,415	1,209,872	1,460,850

GEORGIA RAILROAD for November—

	1912.	1911.	1910.
Gross	290,496	317,245	306,134
Net	43,181	107,757	96,526
Def. after chg.	21,504	*38,839	*42,455
5 mos. gross	1,278,191	1,468,269	1,348,343
5 mos. net	110,049	445,162	339,718
Def. after chg.	191,470	*143,091	6,631

*Surplus.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL for November—

Av. miles	4,763	4,763	4,732
Gross	5,539,957	4,932,306	5,522,140
Net after tax	912,339	329,343	1,472,288
5 mos. gross	27,712,661	25,474,099	26,694,843
Net after tax	4,674,525	3,895,473	6,432,187

MOBILE & OHIO for November—

Av. mileage	1,114	1,114	1,114
Gross	1,052,155	1,033,841	1,004,266
Net after tax	258,552	279,279	310,481
5 mos. gross	5,105,044	4,884,868	4,557,732
Net after tax	1,263,376	1,283,367	1,227,094

NORTHERN PACIFIC for November—

Gross	7,136,248	5,856,636	5,972,746
Net after tax	3,150,826	2,508,243	2,477,737
5 mos. gross	33,365,961	29,226,452	31,464,703
Net after tax	13,046,229	11,604,093	12,196,057

NEW YORK, ONTARIO & WESTERN reports to the up-State Public Service Commission, for the quarter ended Sept. 30—

Gross	2,824,551	2,673,741	2,730,215
Net after tax	1,065,364	840,498	1,024,223
Other income	54,757	86,799	97,013
Total income	1,120,120	927,398	1,121,237
Surp. after chgs.	704,280	499,199	676,300

NEW YORK, SUSQUEHANNA & WESTERN for November—

Gross	311,861	324,731	306,952
Net after tax	79,804	113,834	101,816
5 mos. gross	1,536,951	1,663,161	1,553,088
Net after tax	342,456	552,558	457,497

READING COMPANY, (Philadelphia & Reading Railway Company and the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company,) for November—

	1912.	1911.
Railway Company:		
Receipts	$4,479,305	$4,122,540
Expenses, including renewals, &c.	2,575,282	2,425,022
Net earnings	1,904,023	1,697,518
Coal and Iron Company:		
Receipts	4,365,766	4,237,676
Expenses	3,731,382	3,958,269
Net earnings	634,384	279,406
Reading Company:		
Net income	170,152	168,646
Net earn. all companies	2,708,559	2,145,571
Proportion annual fixed charges and taxes of all companies (estimated)	852,000	839,916
Surplus	1,856,559	1,305,655
From July 1—		
Railway Company:		
Receipts	21,999,581	19,232,318
Expenses	13,019,691	12,467,808
Net	8,979,890	6,764,510
Coal and Iron Company:		
Receipts	18,958,153	14,170,176
Expenses	16,713,932	14,103,650
Net	2,244,220	66,525
Reading Company:		
Net income	832,081	827,489
Net earn. all companies	12,056,191	7,658,526
Proportion fixed charges	4,260,000	4,199,580
Surplus	7,796,191	3,458,945

RUTLAND RAILROAD reports to the up-State Public Service Commission, for the quarter ended Sept. 30—

	1912.	1911.	1910.
Gross	$1,030,095	$963,614	$966,711
Net after tax	260,761	253,804	304,062
Other income	28,336	21,960	17,928
Total income	289,097	275,855	321,990
Surp. after chgs.	131,646	132,815	165,680

ST. LOUIS & SAN FRANCISCO for November—

	1912.	1911.	Increase.
Gross	4,249,863	3,949,598	300,265
Net after taxes	1,315,577	1,208,184	107,393
Five mos. gross	20,086,224	18,507,717	1,578,507
Net after taxes	6,003,675	5,533,562	470,112
Other income	396,012	289,018	106,994
Total income	6,399,686	5,822,580	577,106
Surp. after chgs.	1,140,152	759,960	380,191

UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC RAILWAY CO. of London for November:

Metropolitan District Railway:			
Gross receipts	£69,564	£65,411	£4,153
Working exp	32,290	28,852	3,438
Net receipts	37,274	36,559	715
London Electric Railway:			
Gross receipts	67,914	68,330	*416
Working exp	33,677	32,389	1,288
Net receipts	34,237	35,941	*1,704
London United Tramways, Ltd.:			
Gross receipts	24,180	23,744	436
Working exp	18,050	17,597	453
Net receipts	6,130	6,147	*17

*Decrease.

YAZOO & MISSISSIPPI VALLEY for November—

	1912.	1911.	1910.
Av. mileage	1,374	1,372	1,372
Gross	$1,168,919	$1,081,291	$1,190,851
Net after tax	405,702	291,825	532,098
5 mos. gross	4,545,910	4,189,652	4,638,858
Net after tax	867,261	808,404	975,814

NEW YORK TRACTION LINES' earnings, as reported to the Public Service Commission for the month of September—

	Tot. Str. Op. Rev.	Str. Ry. Op. Inc.	Other Income.
Hudson & Man.	281,908	167,075	88,088
Interboro:			
Subway div	1,206,697	675,979	29,985
Elevated div	1,235,622	563,510	3,375
B. R. T. system			
Bklyn. Union	664,654	288,625	17,991
Bklyn. Heights	714,204	270,408	13,869
Bridge op	21,267	11,196	.....
Bklyn., Qs. Co.	139,783	51,648	4,900
Coney Island	6,176	2,141	1,085
Nassau Elec	404,811	141,923	13,190
Sea Beach	18,337	7,458	100
South Bklyn	75,317	32,377	1,315
N. Y. Rwys	1,169,385	462,806	34,868
C. P., N. & E. R.	53,173	5,182	.....
*Second Avenue	89,382	21,698	.....
Third Avenue	318,677	113,077	92,374
*Dry Dock	49,603	11,679	.....
42d St., M. St. N.	158,428	48,577	1,125
N. Y. C. Inter	41,696	985	139
Union Ry	218,121	61,238	2,080
Westchester El	50,580	7,152	31
Yonkers R. R.	63,301	19,708	.....
N. Y. & L. I. Tr.	38,766	8,577	149
N. Y. & Qu. Co.	117,054	17,302	.....
Co. Isl. & Bklyn.	145,431	48,262	1,558
Richm. Lt. & R.	34,217	4,213	9,088

*Operated by receivers.

NASHVILLE, CHATTANOOGA & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY.

Twenty bonds for $1,000 each, of Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railway Tracy City Branch, Nos. 421 to 440, inclusive, which mature January 1st, 1913, will be paid on and after January 2d, at the Hanover National Bank, New York. Interest on same will cease at their maturity. J. H. AMBROSE, Treasurer.

THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF ST. Paul, located at St. Paul, in the State of Minnesota, is closing its affairs. All noteholders and other creditors of the Association are therefore hereby notified to present all notes and other claims for payment.

C. H. BUCKLEY, Cashier.

Dated December 27th, 1912.

REORGANIZATION of AMERICAN-LA FRANCE FIRE ENGINE COMPANY.

The Reorganization Committee, acting under the Reorganization Plan and Agreement, dated November 18, 1912, announces that the holders of over 89% of the General First Mortgage Bonds of said Company, of over 87% of the preferred stock of said Company, and of over 90% of the common stock of said Company have become parties to said Reorganization Plan and Agreement, and the Reorganization Committee has declared the Plan and Agreement fully operative and effective. In order to enable bondholders and stockholders whose securities have not yet been deposited to participate in the benefits of the Plan and Agreement the Reorganization Committee has determined to accept the deposit of additional bonds and stock without penalty until the close of business on December 31, 1912.

All deposits of bonds and shares of stock must be made with BANKERS TRUST COMPANY, the Depositary under the Reorganization Plan and Agreement, at its office, 16 Wall Street, New York City. All shares of stock so deposited must be duly endorsed for transfer in blank.

The Secretary of the Committee or the Bankers Trust Company, upon application therefor, will furnish copies of the Reorganization Plan and Agreement.

No deposits of bonds nor shares of stock will be accepted after the close of business on December 31, 1912, except with the consent of the Committee and upon such terms as it shall impose.

Dated New York City, December 17, 1912.

AUGUST HECKSCHER, Chairman;
GEORGE H. ROBINSON,
JOHN W. HERBERT,
Reorganization Committee.
PAUL APPENZELLAR, Secretary,
44 Pine Street, New York City.
SACKETT, CHAPMAN & STEVENS,
Counsel,
154 Nassau Street, (Tribune Building,) New York City.

CHICAGO & NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY, office of the Treasurer, 111 Broadway, New York, December 31, 1912.—Notice is hereby given that enough of the SINKING FUND BONDS OF 1879 of this Company, both SIX AND FIVE PER CENT., will be drawn by lot on Friday, January 31st, 1913, at the rate of 105 and accrued interest, to absorb the sum of $144,538.18, deposited in the Sinking Fund of the Farmers' Loan & Trust Company, Trustee, and interest will cease to accrue upon the bonds so drawn on and after January 31st, 1913, upon publication of the numbers designating the drawn bonds, pursuant to the terms of the mortgage securing the same.

M. B. VAN ZANDT, Treasurer.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

BOYER, GRISWOLD & COMPANY.—THE undersigned do hereby certify that they have formed a limited partnership under the firm name and style of Boyer, Griswold & Company.

1. That the principal place of business of the said firm is located in the City and County of New York.

2. That the firm intends to conduct the general brokerage business of buying, carrying and selling stocks, bonds, and other securities, cotton, grain, wheat, and other commodities.

3. That Philip Boyer, residing at Manhasset, Long Island; Le Grand C. Griswold, residing at Mt. Kisco, New York, and Hamilton Hadden, residing at Hempstead, Long Island, are the general partners, and that Alexander S. Wetherill, residing at St. James, Long Island, is the special partner of the firm, and that all the partners of the above-named firm, both general and special, are more than twenty-one years of age.

4. Alexander S. Wetherill, who is the special partner, has contributed the sum of One Hundred Thousand ($100,000) Dollars in cash. That the said partnership begins on the 12th day of December, 1912, and is to continue up to and including the 30th day of November, 1914.

Dated New York, Dec. 10, 1912.

PHILIP BOYER (L. S.)
LE GRAND C. GRISWOLD (L. S.)
HAMILTON HADDEN (L. S.)
ALEXANDER S. WETHERILL (L. S.)

State of New York, City of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On the 10th day of December, 1912, before me personally appeared Alexander S. Wetherill, to me known, and known to me to be one of the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

(Seal) MORRIS MYERS,
Notary Public 146, New York County.

State of New York, City of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On the 11th day of December, 1912, before me personally appeared Philip Boyer, Le Grand C. Griswold, and Hamilton Hadden, to me known and known to me to be the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and that they have duly and severally acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

(Seal) MORRIS MYERS,
Notary Public, New York County.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership firm known as KIMMEL & NIEMAN, composed of BENJAMIN KIMMEL and SAMUEL NIEMAN, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, and that the said business will be continued under the firm name of Kimmel & Nieman by Samuel Nieman, who is to assume the payment of all the obligations of the firm. Dated New York December 31st, 1912.

New York City, December 31st, 1912.

We beg to announce that Mr. EDWIN P. CAMPBELL is this day admitted a partner in our firm.

H. G. CAMPBELL & CO.,
11 Wall Street.

DIVIDENDS.

THE FARMERS' LOAN & TRUST COMPANY
16, 18, 20 and 22 William Street, New York City.

COUPONS AND DIVIDENDS DUE IN JANUARY ARE PAYABLE AT THIS OFFICE ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1ST, 1913, AS FOLLOWS:

Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlantic R. R.
Georgia Terminal Co.
Alabama Ter. Rwy. Co. } Receivers' Certificates
Alabama Great Southern R. R.
American Water Supply Company of Kankakee
Albion Water Works Co.
Athens Railway & Electric Co.
American Society of Mechanical Engineers
Bismarck Water Supply Company
Butler Water Company
Chattanooga City Water Company
Central Brewing Company
Caro Water Works Company
Consolidated Street Railway Company (Memphis)
Commercial Cable Company
Consumers' Park Brewing Company
Constitution Publishing Company
Cowlitz Lumber Co.
Dayton Union Railway Company
Direct Lines Telephone Co.
East Greenwich Water Supply Company
East St. Louis City Water Company
El Paso & Southwestern Railroad Company
Ellsworth Collieries Company (Bonds)
Fleischman Realty & Construction Company
Hampshire Southern R. R.
Herkimer, Mohawk, Ilion & Frankfort Electric Railway Co.
Ithaca Street Railway
Iowa City Water Company
Indianapolis & Southeastern Trac. Co.
Kinney Steamship Co. (Str. J. S. Ashley)
Mobile & Ohio Railroad Company, Extension 1st Mortgage
Mobile Light & Railroad Company
Mosler Safe Company
National Starch Company
New Orleans & Northeastern Railroad Company
Newcastle & Shenango Valley Railroad Company
New York & Cuba Mail S. S. Co. 1st 5%
Olean, City of
Orange County Lighting Company, 6%
Pennsylvania & Maryland St. Rwy.
Portsmouth & Suffolk Water Company
People's Water Co., Oskaloosa, 5%
Red River Valley Company
Richmond Beach & Railway Company
St. Louis & Cairo Railroad Company
South Yuba Water Company, Consolidated Mortgage
Santa Lucia Company
Tarboro Cotton Factory
Terre Haute & Indianapolis Railroad Company
Toledo, Walhonding Valley & Ohio Railroad Company
Third Avenue R. R. Co. 5%
Union Utilities Co.
Union Depot Company, Columbus, Ohio
Vanderburgh County, Indiana
Watkins, Jabez B.
Warren Water Company
Wayne Cotton Mills
Washington Water Power Company
Woodward Iron Co.

JANUARY 2ND, 1913

County of Vanderburgh, Indiana
East St. Louis & Granite City Water Company

JANUARY 15TH, 1913

Louisiana Water Company
Minneapolis, Lyndale & Minnetonka Railway Company & Minneapolis Street Railway Company
St. Paul City Railway Company

JANUARY 20TH, 1913

Pekin Water Works Co.

JANUARY 31ST, 1913

Parsons Water Supply & Power Company

DIVIDENDS

JANUARY 1ST, 1913

F. W. Woolworth Co. Preferred

JANUARY 2ND, 1913

Twin City Rapid Transit Company, preferred
Twin City Rapid Transit Company, common
Duluth-Superior Traction Company, preferred
Duluth-Superior Traction Company, common

JANUARY 6TH, 1913

Detroit, Hillsdale & [illegible] Company

JANUARY [illegible]

Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, [illegible] Louis Railway, pre[illegible]
Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, [illegible] Louis Railway, common

DIVIDENDS.

THE NEW YORK TRUST COMPANY
26 BROAD STREET

COUPONS DUE AT THIS OFFICE ON AND AFTER JAN. 1, 1913

Achotla Mines Co. 1st Coll. Trust 6s
Achotla Mines Co. 2d Coll. Trust 6s
Ashland Waterworks Co. 1st Mtge. 5s
Athens Terminal Co. 1st Mtge 5s
Auburn Gas Co. 1st Mtge. Skg. Fund 5s
Bronx Gas & Electric Co. 1st Mtge. 5s
City of Oregon, Mo., W. W. & Elec. Lt. 5s
City of Rome, Ga., Renewal or Ref. Mtg. 4½s
City of Sedalia, Mo., Refunding 4½s
Central Market St. Ry. Co. 1st S.F. 5s
Cienfuegos, Palmira, & Cruces Elec. Ry. & Power 1st 6s
Citizens Gas & Elec. Co. of Council Bluffs 1st Mtge. 5s
Citizens Gas & Fuel Co. of Terre Haute, Ind., 1st Refunding 5s
City Water Co. of Maryville 1st Mtge. 5s
Clinchfield Coal Co. 1st 5s
Consolidated Gas, Electric Lt. & Power Co. of Baltimore 3-year 5% Notes
East Hampton Electric Light Co. 6s
East Ohio Gas Co. 1st Mtge. S. F. 5s
Edison Elec. Light & Power Co. of Erie, Pa., 1st 6s
Equitable Illuminating Gas Light Co. of Phila., 1st Mtge. 5s
Erie County Electric Co. 1st Mtge. 4s
Evansville & Terre Haute R. R. Co. Ref. Gold 5s
Florida Publishing Co. 1st Mtge. 6s
Fonda, Johnstown & Gloversville R. R. Co. Gen. Refunding 4s
Fonda, Johnstown & Gloversville, R.R.Co. 1st Cons. Refunding 4½s
Greenwich Tramway Co. 1st 5s
Hackensack Water Co. 1st 4s
Herkimer Co. Light & Power Co. 1st 5s
Indianapolis Water Co. Gen. Mtge. 5s
Jonesville, S. C., School Dist. 5½s
Kan. City & Westport Belt Ry. Co. 1st 5s
Kan. City So. Ry. Co. Ref. & Imp. 5s
Kootenai Co., Idaho, Funding Bonds 6%
Lincoln Traction Co. (New) Gold 5s
Lincoln Traction Co. (Old) Gold 5s
Lockport Light, Heat & Power Co. 1st Mtge. Refunding 5s
Macon, Dublin & Savannah R.R. Co. 1st 5s
Mahoning & Shenango Ry. & Lt. Co. 1st Cons. Refunding 5s
Mays Cons. Oil Co. 1st Gold 6s.
National Conduit & Cable Co. 1st 5s
New London Steamboat Co. 1st 6s
New Orleans City & Lake R. R. Co. 1st 5s
New Orleans City R. R. Co. Gen. 5s
New Orleans Ry. & Lt. Co. Gen. 4½s
N. Y. & Westchester Ltg. Co. General
Northport Waterworks Co. 1st 4½s
Norwich Gas & Electric Co. 1st 5s
Paducah City Railway 1st Cons. 5s
Peace River Phosphate Min. Co. 1st Con. 6s
Pine Bluff Co., 1st 30 year 5%
Plattsburgh Traction Company 1st 6s
Pocahontas Cons. Collieries Co. Inc. 50 year 5% Gold
Richmond Lt., Ht. & Pwr. Co. 1st Ref. 5s
St. Lawrence & Adirondack Ry. 1st 5s
Sharon & Newcastle Railways Co. 1st Lien S. F. 5s
Somerset County, N. J., Building 4s
South Shore Gas. Co. 1st 5s
Spartanburg Ry., Gas & El. Co. 1st 5s
Spartanburg Ry., Gas & El. Co. 2d 5s
Tacoma Gas & Electric Co. 1st 5s
Tanana Valley R. R. Co. 8% 3-yr. Coll. Trust Gold Bonds
Terminal Warehouse Co. 2d Mtge. 5s
Tombigbee Val. R. R. Co. Gen. Lien 6s
Underground Elec. Railways Co. of London. Ltd. 4½% Bonds of 1933
Underwriters Bldg. Co. 1st 5s
United Gas & El. Co. of N. J. 1st Mtge. 5s
Utica Belt Line St. R. R. Co. 2d Mtge. 5s
Utica, Clinton & Binghamton R. R. Gen. 5s
Virginia Portland Cement Co. 1st 5s
Washington Sugar Co. 1st 6s
Waters Pierce Oil Co. Coll. Tr. 5% Gold Notes
Western N. Y. & Penna. Ry. Co. 1st 5s
Worcester & Conn. Eastern Ry. Co. 1st 4½s
Yakima County, Wash., S. D. No. 2.
Youngstown-Sharon Ry. & Lt. Co. 1st S.F. 5s

DUE JANUARY 14, 1913

Wladikawkas Ry. Co. (Russia) 4s

DUE JANUARY 15, 1913

Ristigouche Salmon Club

213th DIVIDEND
Chartered 1799.
Bank of The Manhattan Company,
New York, December 19, 1912.

The President and Directors of the Manhattan Company have this day declared a dividend of 7% out of the earnings of the past six months, and an extra dividend of 1% for the year ending December 31, 1912, free from tax, payable January 2, 1913, to Stockholders of record at the close of business December 27, 1912. Transfer books to remain closed until January 2, 1913.

D. H. PIERSON, Cashier.

COLUMBIA BANK,
507 5th Av., near 42d St.
THE FORTY-NINTH CONSECUTIVE DIVIDEND.
New York, December 18, 1912.

The Board of Directors of this bank have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of EIGHT (8%) PER CENT., free of tax, out of the earnings of the past six months, payable January 1, 1913, to shareholders of record at the close of business on December 21, 1912. The transfer books will be closed from December 21, 1912, until January 15, 1913.

W. S. GRIFFITH, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NO. 125.
The Hanover Fire Insurance Co.
New York, Dec. 19, 1912.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, a Quarterly Dividend of Four (4) Per Cent. was declared, payable at the Office of the Company, HANOVER BUILDING, Nos. 34 and 36 Pine Street, on the second day of January, 1913, to Stockholders of record December 23rd, 1912.

Transfer books to be closed from December 23rd, 1912, to January 3rd, 1913, both dates inclusive.

JOSEPH McCORD, Secretary.

Rhode Island Suburban Railway Co.

Holders of the January, 1913, coupons of the 4% Gold Mortgage Bonds of the Rhode Island Suburban Railway Co. may present them for payment at the office of Messrs. Clark, Dodge & Co., 51 Wall Street, New York, on and after January 2, 1913. Checks for interest on the registered bonds will be mailed from Providence.

C. A. BABCOCK, Treasurer.
Providence, R. I., Dec. 28, 1912.

THE BRITISH COLUMBIA COPPER COMPANY, LIMITED.
31 Nassau Street, New York.
Dividend No. 6.
December 9th, 1912.

The Directors of this Company have this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of Three per cent (3%) payable January 15th, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business January 2nd, 1913.

R. H. EGGLESTON, Treasurer.

Ferrocarriles Nacionales de Mexico,
(NATIONAL RAILWAYS OF MEXICO.)
25 Broad Street, New York.

Coupons due January 1, 1913, from the Prior Lien Mortgage 4½% Gold Bonds of this Company will be paid on and after that date upon presentation at the office of the Company, **NO. 25 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK.**

F. M. SOUTHER, Assistant Treasurer.
December 18, 1912.

UNITED TRACTION AND ELECTRIC COMPANY.
JERSEY CITY, N. J., December 5, 1912.

A dividend of ONE AND ONE-QUARTER PER CENT. on the Capital Stock of this Company will be paid January 2, 1913, to the registered holders of December 10, 1912. Transfer books will be closed on the 10th inst. and will be reopened December 16, 1912.

C. S. SWEETLAND, Treasurer.

THE CITIZENS CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF NEW YORK.
New York, December 20th, 1912.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a quarterly dividend of Two (2%) Per Cent., free of tax, payable on and after January 2d, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 27th, 1912.

ALBION K. CHAPMAN, Cashier.

OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL SILVER COMPANY.
Meriden, Conn., December 15, 1912.

Coupons No. 20 of the Debenture Bonds of this company, due January 1, 1913, will be paid on and after that date on presentation at the American Exchange National Bank, 128 Broadway, New York City.

GEORGE M. CURTIS, Treasurer.

Merchants Exchange National Bank of the City of New York.
December 17, 1912.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of THREE PER CENT., free of tax, payable on and after January 2, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 20, 1912.

E. V. GAMBIER, Cashier.

THE HANOVER NATIONAL BANK of the City of New York.
New York, December 20, 1912.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of FOUR PER CENT., free of tax, payable on and after January 2d, 1913. Transfer books will remain closed from December 21st, 1912, to that date.

ELMER E. WHITTAKER, Cashier.

GARFIELD NATIONAL BANK,
Fifth Avenue & Twenty-third St.
New York, December 24, 1912.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, a Quarterly Dividend of THREE PER CENT. upon the Capital Stock of this bank was declared, payable, free of tax, on and after December 31, 1912.

The Transfer Books will be closed until Thursday, January 2, 1913.

A. W. SNOW, Cashier.

NORTH BUTTE MINING COMPANY.
Dividend No. 28.

A quarterly dividend of $205,000.00, being fifty cents per share on the outstanding stock of the Company, has been declared out of the surplus earnings, payable January 18, 1913, to the stockholders of record at the close of business on January 3, 1913. The transfer books will be closed from January 4, 1913, to January 18, 1913, both inclusive.

C. A. DUNCAN, Treasurer.

THE BANK OF AMERICA.
New York, December 20th, 1912.

The Board of Directors have to-day declared a semi-annual dividend of fourteen (14) per cent., free of tax, payable January 2nd, 1913, to stockholders of record of this date.

The transfer books will remain closed until January 3rd, 1913.

W. M. BENNET, Cashier.

SEABOARD NATIONAL BANK.
New York, December 10, 1912.

The Board of Directors of this bank has declared the regular quarterly dividend of Three Per Cent., payable January 2, 1913, to stockholders of record on December [illegible], 1913.

C. C. THOMPSON, Cashier.

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219th Consecutive Semi-Annual Dividend

The Merchants National Bank
of the City of New York
42 Wall Street
December 26, 1912.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a dividend of FOUR (4%) PER CENT., free of tax, payable January 2, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 26, 1912.

JOSEPH BYRNE, Cashier.

Bangor & Aroostook Railroad Co.
First Mortgage 5% Gold Bonds.

Coupon No. 40, due January 1, 1913, from the First Mortgage 5% Gold Bonds of this Company will be paid upon presentation on and after January 1, 1913, at the office of the **Guaranty Trust Co. of New York, 28 Nassau St., New York.**

W. A. DANFORTH, Treasurer.
Bangor, Me., December 4, 1912.

Bangor & Aroostook Railroad Co.
Second Mortgage Bonds.

Coupon No. 35, due January 1, 1913, from the Second Mortgage 5% Bonds of this Company will be paid upon presentation on and after January 1, 1913, at the office of the **Guaranty Trust Co., of New York, 28 Nassau St., New York.**

W. A. DANFORTH, Treasurer.
Bangor, Me., December 4, 1912.

Bangor & Aroostook Railroad Co.
Consolidated Refunding Mortgage 4% Bonds.

Coupon No. 23, due January 1, 1913, from the Consolidated Refunding 4% Bonds of this Company will be paid upon presentation on and after January 1, 1913, at the offices of **Messrs. Lee, Higginson & Co., 44 State St., Boston.**

W. A. DANFORTH, Treasurer.
Bangor, Me., December 4, 1912.

UNITED FRUIT COMPANY
DIVIDEND NO. 54

A quarterly dividend of two per cent. on the capital stock of this Company has been declared, payable January 15th, 1913, at the office of the Treasurer, 131 State Street, Boston, Mass., to stockholders of record at the close of business December 24, 1912.

CHARLES A. HUBBARD, Treasurer.

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WELLS FARGO & COMPANY.
51 Broadway New York, December 30, 1912.

A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT. upon the Capital Stock of this Company has been declared, payable January 15, 1913, at the office of the Company, to stockholders of record at the close of business January 4, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon.

The Transfer Books will close January 4, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, and reopen at the opening of business on January 16, 1913.

C. H. GARDINER, Secretary.

DETROIT & MACKINAC RAILWAY CO.
40 Wall St., N. Y. City., Nov. 25, 1912.

A dividend of Two and One-half Per Cent. (2½%) on the Preferred Stock and a dividend of Two and One-half Per Cent. (2½%) on the Common Stock of this Company, have this day been declared, payable January 2nd, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business on December 14th, 1912. The stock transfer books of the Company will close December 14th, 1912, and reopen January 4th, 1913.

C. B. COLEBROOK, Treasurer.

At a meeting of the Directors of the Chicago Pneumatic Tool Company, held on Friday, the 27th instant, a quarterly dividend of one per cent. was declared on the stock of record, January 15th, payable January 25th. The stock transfer books close at the close of business January 15th and reopen on January 27th.

(Signed) L. BEARDSLEY, Treasurer.

YOLO WATER AND POWER CO.

The Coupons of the Yolo Water and Power Co. First Mortgage 5 Per Cent. Gold Bonds due January 1st, 1913, will be payable at the office of White & Co., 30 Pine St., New York.

R. M. PIKE, President.

CENTRAL UNION GAS COMPANY.

The coupons due January 1, 1913, attached to the First Mortgage bonds of this Company, will be paid at the office of H. B. Hollins & Co., 15 Wall Street, New York City.

PHILIP J. SCHNEIDER, Treasurer.
December 27th, 1912.

COUPONS DUE JANUARY 1ST, 1913, OF the Seattle Construction and Dry Dock Company, First and General Mortgage 10-year 6% Gold Bonds will be paid at the office of Bertron, Griscom & Co., 40 Wall St., New York.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

Coupons due January the first, 1913, and prior to that date, from State of South Carolina 4½% Blue Bonds, and State of Carolina Brown Bonds, will be paid at

THE HANOVER NATIONAL BANK.

NASHVILLE, CHATTANOOGA & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY.

The coupons due January 1st, 1913, on the bonds of this Company will be paid at the Hanover National Bank, New York.

J. H. AMBROSE, Treasurer.

CITY OF ARECIBO, P. R.

Coupons due January 1, 1913, of the outstanding 6% bonds will be paid after that date upon presentation at the office of Muller, Schall & Co., No. 44 Wall Street.

PROPOSALS.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, ROOM 2, CUSTOM House, Norfolk, Va., Dec. [illegible], 1912.—Sealed proposals for the removal of the iron Barge FLORIDA, sunk in Hampton Roads, Va., will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, Jan. 28, 1913, and then publicly opened. Information on application. E. EVELETH WINSLOW, Lt. Col., Engrs.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE
UNITED EQUITIES COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the UNITED EQUITIES COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 40 Wall Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City and County of New York, on the fourteenth day of January, 1913, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing five Directors for the ensuing year, and two Inspectors of Election, to serve for one year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated December 31, 1912.

SNOWDEN A. FAHNESTOCK,
Secretary.

THE DRY DOCK, EAST BROADWAY AND BATTERY RAILROAD COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 2,396 Third Avenue, corner of 130th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election and for the transaction of such further business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated, New York, December 31st, 1912.

FREDERIC J. FULLER, Secretary.

THE FORTY-SECOND STREET, MANHATTANVILLE & ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 2,396 Third Avenue, corner of 130th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election and for the transaction of such further business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated, New York, December 31st, 1912.

FREDERIC J. FULLER, Secretary.

ART METAL CONSTRUCTION CO.

A Special Meeting of the stockholders of the Art Metal Construction Company will be held at the offices of the Company, at No. 349 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York, N. Y., on Wednesday the 15th day of January, 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering and acting upon the matter of selling the preferred stock of National Steel and Bronze Corporation owned by this Company; the terms and conditions of the sale of the same and of the contracts or instruments therefor; and the considerations to be received and the obligations, if any, by guaranty of dividends or otherwise, to be made or assumed by this Company in connection with such sale; and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated Jamestown, N. Y., December 30th, 1912.

E. F. GILBERT, Secretary.

THE MILWAUKEE ELECTRIC RAILWAY AND LIGHT COMPANY.
30 Broad St., New York, December 27, 1912.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of THE MILWAUKEE ELECTRIC RAILWAY AND LIGHT COMPANY for the election of three Directors of the second class, and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, Public Service Building, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, on Monday, January 20, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon; and for that purpose the stock transfer books of the Company will be closed on Tuesday, December 31, 1912, at 3 o'clock P. M., and remain closed until Tuesday, January 21, 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M.

J. F. FOGARTY, Secretary.

To the Stockholders of The Booklovers Library of New York.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Booklovers Library of New York will be held at the office of said corporation, in the City and County of New York, to wit: No. 1 East 30th Street, New York City, State of New York, on Tuesday, January 14th, A. D. 1913, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of a Board of Directors and the transaction of any other business pertaining to the affairs of the Company.

WILLIAM F. SMITH, President.

COLUMBIA-KNICKERBOCKER TRUST COMPANY.
New York, December 30, 1912.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Columbia-Knickerbocker Trust Company, for the election of a Board of Directors and two Inspectors of Election, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, No. 60 Broadway, City of New York, at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 15th day of January, 1913. The polls will be open from 12 M. until 1 P. M.

L. W. WIGGIN, Secretary.

December 31st, 1912.

Yorkville Bank.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this bank and the election of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House, 1,511 Third Avenue, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913. Polls open from 2:30 to 4 P. M.

ERNEST WOLKWITZ, Cashier.

Notice is hereby given that the regular Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of J. K. BUTLER COMPANY will be held at the office of Hand, Bonney & Jones, No. 49 Wall Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City and State of New York, on the 14th day of January, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated New York, December 28th, 1912.

EMMA J. S. BUTLER, Secretary.

Flushing Bay Improvement Co.
TEMPLE BAR ANNEX,
Brooklyn, New York.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Flushing Bay Improvement Co. will be held at the office of the Company, 186 Remsen St., Brooklyn, N. Y., on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before said meeting.

W. E. BOLTE, Secretary.

Flushing Bay Improvement Co.
TEMPLE BAR ANNEX,
Brooklyn, New York.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Borough Development Co. will be held at the office of the Company, 186 Remsen St., Brooklyn, N. Y., on Tuesday, Jan. 14th, 1913, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before said meeting.

W. E. BOLTE, Secretary.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of Havemeyer Real Estate Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 26 Cortlandt Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Tuesday, January 14, 1913, at 3:15 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be presented at said Meeting.

A. W. MACKINTOSH, Secretary.
New York, December 31, 1912.

The Colonial Bank of the City of New York.
December 11, 1912.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of this bank for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may come before it, will be held at the Banking Rooms, 441 Columbus Avenue, corner 81st Street, Wednesday, January 15, 1913, from 3:30 to 4:30 P. M.

GEORGE S. CARR, Cashier.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Hamilton Fire Insurance Company will be held at its office, Monday, January 13th, 1913, at 2 P. M., for election of Directors for the ensuing year, and transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

ARTHUR LENSSEN, Jr., Secretary.

WEST SIDE BANK.
New York, December 31st, 1912.

The annual election for Directors of this bank will be held at the banking rooms, Nos. 481 and 483 Eighth Avenue, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913, between the hours of 10 and 11 A. M.

WALTER WESTERVELT, Cashier.

The National Butchers & Drovers Bank.
New York, December 30th, 1912.

The annual election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the banking rooms, Nos. 683-5 Broadway, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

WH. H. CHASE, Cashier.

GUARANTY SAFE DEPOSIT CO.
5th Avenue and Forty-third Street.
New York, December 30, 1912.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Company for the election of Directors and Inspectors will be held at the office of the company on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at 9:15 A. M. WALTER MEACHAM, Secretary.

The annual stockholders' meeting of Siemund Wenzel Electric Welding Company will be held at 29 Broadway, New York City, on Tuesday, January 7th, 1913, at 10 A. M. Directors will be elected and all necessary and proper business will be transacted.

M. R. WILKIN, Secretary.

AT A MEETING OF THE TRUSTEES OF the New York Life Insurance and Trust Company, held on Tuesday, December 3rd, 1912, Eugene Delano, Alfred E. Marling, and Moses Taylor were unanimously nominated to fill vacancies in the board.

New York, December 11th, 1912.

Z. W. VAN ZELM, Secretary.

ATLANTIC MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.,
Atlantic Building,
NOS. 49 AND 51 WALL STREET.
New York, Dec. 23, 1912.

The Transfer Books of this Company will be closed from January 1st, 1913, to February 4th, 1913 inclusive.

G. STANTON FLOYD-JONES, Secretary.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of H. C. F. KOCH & CO., INC., will be held at the offices of the Company, No. 132 West 125th Street, New York City, on Tuesday, January 14th, at twelve o'clock noon.

W. T. KOCH, Secretary.

AN ELECTION OF TWENTY MANAGERS of the New York Institute for the Education of the Blind and of three Inspectors of Election will be held at the Institute, 34th St. and 9th Av., at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of Thursday, Jan. 2, 1913. LINSEE BLAGDEN, Sec'y.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

ASSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA.

A special meeting of the Stockholders of the Assurance Company of America will be held at the office of the Company, No. 80 Maiden Lane, New York City, on Wednesday, January 15th, 1913, at three o'clock P. M., for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to amend Article 2 of the charter so that said Article 2 will hereafter read as follows:

"The purpose for which the said corporation is formed is to make insurances on dwelling houses, stores, and all kinds of buildings, and household furniture, and other property against loss or damage by fire, lightning, wind storms, tornadoes, or earthquakes, and also against loss or damage by water to any goods or premises arising from the breakage or leakage of sprinklers, pumps, or other apparatus erected for extinguishing fires, and of water pipes, and against accidental injury to such sprinklers, pumps, or other apparatus, and upon vessels, boats, cargoes, goods, merchandise, freights, and other property against loss or damage by all or any of the risks of lake, river, canal, and inland navigation and transportation, including insurances upon automobiles, whether stationary or being operated under their own power, which shall include all or any of the hazards of fire, explosion, transportation, collision, loss by legal liability for damage to property resulting from the maintenance and use of automobiles, and loss by burglary or theft or both, but shall not include insurances against loss by reason of bodily injury to the person, and to effect reinsurance of any risks taken by it."

Dated New York, December 31st, 1912.

R. BLEECKER RATHBONE, President.
CHARLES S. CONKLIN, Secretary.

THE APEX COLLAR & SHIRT COMPANY, INC.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of The Apex Collar & Shirt Company, Inc., will be held at twelve o'clock noon on the 18th day of January, 1913, at the principal office of the Company, No. 49 Wall Street, in The City of New York, and that the object of said meeting is to consider the approval of an agreement of consolidation entered into and made between the said The Apex Collar & Shirt Company, Inc., and Cluett, Peabody & Co., pursuant to resolutions of their respective Boards of Directors and, if approved, to take such action in the premises as may be necessary.

Dated, New York, December 24th, 1912.

FREDERICK WM. KOBBÉ, Secretary.

CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Trust Company of New York for the election of six Trustees of said Company of the Class of 1916, and three Inspectors of the next succeeding election, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, 54 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on Thursday, January 9th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon. Polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

M. FERGUSON, Secretary.
December 27th, 1912.

FIDELITY BANK.
New York, December 31st, 1912.

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of this Bank, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such meeting, will be held at the Banking House, southwest corner Madison Avenue and 75th Street, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at three-thirty o'clock P. M. Polls will remain open from three-thirty to four-thirty o'clock P. M. Transfer books will be closed from January 4th to 14th, inclusive.

EUGENE W. DUTTON, Cashier.

IRVING NATIONAL BANK, NEW YORK
New York, December 3, 1912.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of this Bank for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it will be held in the Banking Rooms, No. 92 West Broadway, Tuesday, January 14, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, the polls to be open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

The transfer books will be closed from 12 o'clock noon, January 11, 1913, until 10 o'clock A. M. January 15, 1913.

HARRY E. WARD, Cashier.

COLUMBIA BANK,
507 Fifth Avenue, Near Forty-second Street,
New York, December 18, 1912.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of this Bank, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the election of three Inspectors of Election to serve for the following annual election will be held at the Banking House on Tuesday, January 14, 1913, and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting.

The polls will be open from 12 M. until 1 P. M.

W. S. GRIFFITH, Cashier.

BROADWAY TRUST COMPANY.
New York, December 24, 1912.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Broadway Trust Company for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting, will be held at the Company's office, No. 754 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Wednesday, January 8, 1913, at twelve o'clock noon. Polls will remain open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

JOHN W. H. BERGEN, Secretary.

THE JOHN J. CROOKE COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the stockholders of The John J. Crooke Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 68 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Wednesday, January 8, 1913, at 10 A. M., for the purpose of electing six Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

WILLIAM J. IRWIN, Secretary.

Dated New York, December 24th, 1912.

UNITED STATES TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.
45 Wall Street, December 23, 1912.

AN ELECTION for Trustees to supply the places of those whose terms of office expire, and for Inspectors of the next election ensuing thereafter, will be held at the office of the Company on the seventh day of January next (the first Tuesday) between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

WILFRED J. WORCESTER, Secretary.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK
New York, December 12, 1912.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of the National Bank of Commerce in New York for the election of Directors will be held at its Banking House, 31 Nassau Street, New York City, on Tuesday, January 14, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon. The polls will be open from 12 o'clock to 1 P. M.

STEVENSON E. WARD, Cashier.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD BANK
of the City of New York.
No. 2,469 Third Avenue.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of this Bank for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking Rooms Tuesday, January, 14th, 1913, between the hours of 8:30 and 9:30 A. M.

Transfer books will close January 6th at 3 P. M., and reopen January 14th, at 10 A. M.

CHARLES P. BOGART, Cashier.

Bank of the Metropolis of New York.
New York, December 30th, 1912.

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of this Bank for the election of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at its banking house, 31 Union Square, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon.

EDWIN S. LAFFEY, Cashier.

THE GREENWICH BANK, of the City of New York.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of this bank for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before it will be held at the banking rooms, 874 Broadway, Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1913, from 3 to 4 o'clock P. M.

FRANK HAMMOND, Cashier.

Colonial Bank Safe Deposit Company.
December 11, 1912.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of this company for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may come before it, will be held at 441 Columbus Avenue, corner of 81st Street, Wednesday, January 15, 1913, from 3:30 to 4:30 P. M.

CHARLES S. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

Steamship Clerks Savings and Loan Association.
ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Steamship Clerks Savings and Loan Association will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 14th, 1913, at 5:30 P. M. at Pier 14, E. R., New York City. NAT E. FARNHAM, Sec'y.

New York, December 7th, 1912.

The annual election of Directors of the MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK of the City of New York will be held at its banking house, No. 42 Wall Street, New York, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, from 12 noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

By order of the Board of Directors.

JOSEPH BYRNE, Cashier.

THE BANK OF AMERICA.
New York, December 30th, 1912.

The Annual Election of Directors and Inspectors of Election of this Bank will be held at the banking house, Nos. 44 and 46 Wall Street, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913. The polls will be opened at 1 o'clock P. M., and will be closed at 2 o'clock P. M. The transfer books will be closed from January 11 to January 15th.

W. M. BENNET, Cashier.

The Chemical National Bank of New York.
December 14th, 1912.

The Annual Election for Directors of this bank will be held at the banking house, No. 270 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913, between the hours of one and two o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS HALPIN, Cashier.

THE HANOVER NATIONAL BANK of the City of New York.
New York, December 14, 1912.

The Annual Election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the banking house, Nassau and Pine Streets, Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, between the hours of 12 o'clock M. and 1 o'clock P. M.

ELMER E. WHITTAKER, Cashier.

The German Exchange Bank
December 13, 1912.

The annual Election for Directors of this bank will be held at the Banking House, No. 330 Bowery, Borough of Manhattan, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913, between the hours of noon and one P. M.

GEORGE KERN, Cashier.

$30,000,000 MERGER OF TRUST COMPANIES

Brooklyn Trust Co. Quietly Takes Over the Long Island Loan and Trust Co.

BIGGEST NOW IN BOROUGH

T. F. Miller to Continue as Head in Union of Morgan and Rockefeller Institutions.

While the Pujo Committee has been assailing the inter-relations of powerful banking groups in this city, especially J. P. Morgan & Co., the First National Bank, and the National City Bank, a merger has been quietly arranged between two Brooklyn institutions, one of which is affiliated to some extent with the First National and the other known, like the National City Bank, as a Rockefeller institution.

The terms of this merger, by which the Brooklyn Trust Company is to take over the Long Island Loan and Trust Company, were agreed upon yesterday by the Directors of the two companies. All that is needed now is the acquiescence of State Supt. of Banks Van Tuyl and ratification by the stockholders. By this operation the Brooklyn Trust Company, which is the oldest institution of the kind in the borough, becomes the largest, taking precedence over the People's Trust Company. The combined institution will have a capital of $1,500,000, a surplus of approximately $3,900,000, and resources of more than $30,000,000.

The Long Island Loan and Trust Company has a capital stock of 10,000 shares. For half of these will be exchanged 5,000 shares of the Brooklyn Trust Company. The other half will be bought for cash at $220 a share, or a total of $1,100,000. Brooklyn Trust stock has been held in the market at $500 to $550 a share, so that the Long Island stock goes into the combination at a price of about $250.

The present controlling interests in the Brooklyn Trust Company, having the other 10,000 shares, will continue to dominate the combined institution, and it is understood that Theodore F. Miller will remain as President. Francis L. Hine, President of the First National Bank, is a Director in the Brooklyn Trust Company, and its branch in Manhattan is in the First National Bank Building. The Brooklyn Trust Company, whose main office is at 177 Montague Street, also has a branch at Fulton Street and Bedford Avenue, and will probably retain as a branch the office of the Long Island Loan and Trust Company at 44 Court Street.

David G. Legget, President of the Long Island Loan and Trust Company, is a Director and large stockholder in the Brooklyn Union Gas Company, a Rockefeller concern, and Clinton L. Rossiter, First Vice President, is also associated with the Rockefeller interests in the National City Bank. It is understood that Mr. Legget will retire, and that Mr. Rossiter will either be Vice President of the Brooklyn Trust Company or will eventually become President, with Mr. Miller as Chairman of the board.

The latest statement of the Brooklyn Trust Company showed deposits of $16,767,500; reserve and liabilities, $20,633,429; loans, $7,052,963; mortgages owned, $93,800; cash, $2,111,670; surplus and undivided profits, $2,465,653.

COMMODITIES MARKETS.

Grain Receipts Big—Stocks Growing—Cotton Firm—Spots Irregular.

The wheat market sold off fractionally, steadying late. Corn and oats were easier on the large receipts, but closed with slight net change. Provisions were quiet, with very limited fluctuations. Cotton advanced early on the cables, reacted, but closed at an advance. Coffee improved, with more bullish cable advices.

WHEAT.

The wheat market was firm at the opening, influenced by the cables. Later the market eased off on the large receipts and the increase in the visible, developing renewed strength later, helped by war news, and the close was very steady. The cables were generally firm, with cash and futures, and there was some foreign demand in evidence, particularly for Manitoba wheat. The Argentine reports were of unsettled weather conditions. The world's exports were 7,768,000 bushels, compared with 11,480,000 bushels the previous week and 10,126,000 bushels last year. The amount of wheat afloat for Europe showed a decrease of 1,344,000 bushels, and the total is 2,500,000 bushels less than a year ago. The visible supply figures showed a good increase, as expected. The gains were all in the Northwest. There was also a liberal gain in the bonded stocks. The increase in the domestic wheat was 1,854,000 bushels and the increase in the bonded stocks 935,000 bushels, making a total gain of 2,789,000 bushels, against a decrease last year of 1,179,000 bushels. For the first time this season, the combined domestic and bonded stocks were in excess of last year. The visible supply of Canadian wheat increased 3,291,000 bushels and the total, 22,684,000 bushels, is 10,000,000 bushels in excess of last year. The total North American visible of 93,401,000 bushels compares with 83,380,000 bushels a year ago. The increase in the grand total for the week was 8,080,000 bushels. Western receipts for the day were heavy, slightly exceeding last week. Cash wheat was steady; exporters reported seven loads of Manitoba. No. 2 red was quoted at $1.08; No. 1 Northern 98c; No. 2 hard Winter, $1.04½; No. 1 Manitoba, $1.00½.

WHEAT—FUTURE MARKETS.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
New York—					
December	..	..	95⅝	95¼	..
May	97⅜	97	97¼	97⅛	1.03⅛
Chicago—					
December	86¼	85⅝	86¼	85¾	93
May	91½	91	91⅜	91⅛	99
July	88⅝	88⅛	88½	88⅝	91¼
Minneapolis—					
May	85⅞	85½	85¾	85⅝	1.06¾
July	87½	87¼	87½	87⅜	1.07½
Winnipeg—					
December	82¼	81⅝	81⅝	81⅞	93⅜
May	86¼	85⅞	86⅛	86	98⅞
July	87⅝	87¼	87⅝	87¼	..

CORN.

The corn market moved within a range of ¼c, closing at a slight net gain over Saturday. Prices were sold off fractionally at the opening on heavy receipts and expectation of a big increase in the visible supply. Although the receipts last week were very heavy, amounting to 7,100,000 bushels, the visible supply increased only 1,423,000 bushels, showing very heavy distribution. World's exports for the week were 3,033,000 bushels. An Argentine report credited the Minister of Agriculture as estimating the growing corn crop at 349,000,000 bushels, against 273,000,000 bushels for the last year, out of which in eight months 186,000,000 bushels have been shipped. Cash corn was steady, with the export grade quoted at 54¼c, f. o. b.

CHICAGO FUTURE MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	47½	47⅛	47¼	47	68
May	48⅛	47⅞	48⅛	48	63⅜
July	49	48⅝	49	48⅞	63⅞
September	49⅝	49⅜	49⅝	49½	..

OATS.

Trading was quiet in oats, with prices showing an undertone of firmness, and closed at a slight net gain. Heavy receipts were again reported, but the increase in the visible was only 458,000 bushels, notwithstanding the heavy receipts of last week. Bonded stocks decreased 360,000 bushels, but the Canadian visible increased 703,000 bushels. Cash oats were steady, with standards quoted at 39c to 39½c; No. 3 white, 39c to 39½c; No. 4 whites, 38c to 39c; white clipped, 37c to 41½c.

CHICAGO—FUTURE MARKETS.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	32⅛	32⅜	32⅞	32⅝	46½
May	32⅞	32⅝	32⅞	32¾	47½
July	32⅞	32⅛	32⅞	32⅞	43⅞
September	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛	..	..

PROVISIONS.

The market for hog products was quiet most of the day, showing some improvement late on the disappointing hog receipts and a general advance in the Western hog market.

CHICAGO FUTURE MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	$9.70	$9.62½	$9.65	$9.70	$9.15
January	9.67½	9.55	9.60	9.62½	9.15
May	9.80	9.70	9.80	9.70	9.37
July	..	..	..	..	9.52
September	..	..	..	..	9.65
January	9.60	9.55	9.60	9.50	8.32
May	9.75	9.65	9.70	9.60	8.60
July	..	..	..	..	8.65
January	17.50	17.35	17.45	17.40	15.45
May	18.02½	17.95	18.02½	17.85	15.95
July	..	..	..	..	16.10

COTTON.

Although there was considerable in the news which ordinarily would tend to disconcert holders of cotton, futures failed to reveal any weakness of importance during yesterday's session. Early advances of about ten points were gradually eliminated, but in the late trade, offerings subsided and the finals were at fair net gains.

The impetus for higher prices at the outset was furnished by the Liverpool market, which was higher than due, as a result of the scarcity of sellers. Sentiment abroad is mixed judging by foreign correspondence, although it is noteworthy that trade authorities are generally hopeful. Tattersall in his circular, stated that the outlook for 1913 was bright, despite the Balkan disturbance. Neill Brothers of London again referred to their crop estimate of 14,500,000 bales, also adhering to their belief that consumption of American cotton will approximate 14,500,000 bales. Here the opinion was expressed that future prices would be determined by the 1913-'14 crop outlook.

More bearish advices emanated from the South, with quite a little pressure from cotton districts. This was partly in the nature of hedges. Some spot interests located in the belt, which have been bullish, wired that demand had abated materially. Other dispatches were about to the same effect, although many still dwell on the fact that holders are indisposed to seriously consider the lower prices bid.

Although the ginning period does not end until to-day, there are already rumors in circulation. There was a report yesterday crediting the National Ginners' Association with estimating the amount ginned for the last two weeks at 510,000 bales, compared with 547,000 last year. This would be rather large in view of the unpropitious weather and the numerous statements of crop exhaustion over the South. However, the trade seems to have been educated to anticipate unfounded reports concerning the National Ginners' Association figures, and it was not surprising, therefore, that the effect of the rumor was short-lived.

Yesterday was first tender day for January delivery, and fully 20,000 notices circulated. Leading spot houses absorbed these freely. Although the quantity was about double that expected, the deliveries were without influence on the list, as the speculative commitments in the January option are comparatively small. It was thought that the spot concerns which have been bullish on the market for several months, took up most of the cotton tendered, thereby strengthening their hold on the local spot situation. Warehouse stocks amounted to 71,000 bales at New York, with the amount certificated 52,000, of which considerable has been sold to go out. New York spot cotton was quoted .10c higher; middlings, 13.20c.

	High.	Low.	—Closing.— Bid.	Asked.	Prev. Close.
December	12.75	12.66	12.73	@12.74	12.59
January	12.76	12.66	12.73	@12.74	12.60
February	12.62	12.62	12.58	@12.60	12.50
March	12.68	12.56	12.64	@12.65	12.56
April	12.64	12.61	12.64	@.....	12.56
May	12.69	12.58	12.67	@.....	12.59
June	12.59	12.59	12.60	@.....	12.51
July	12.62	12.51	12.60	@12.61	12.51
August	12.50	12.42	12.48	@12.50	12.39
September	11.93	11.93	11.87	@11.90	11.85
October	11.82	11.70	11.74	@11.75	11.73

COTTONSEED OIL.

Prominent refining interests were moderate buyers of futures which demand checked the declining tendency of the market. Information from the South was rather conflicting as to the status of the crude oil situation, but there seemed to be more disposition to take into account the claims of mills reducing their basis. Some authorities who have been consistently bearish for several weeks, are expressing the opinion that unless consumptive inquiry expands in the very near future, holders of crude and seed will be placed in an uncomfortable position. There were not any January tenders issued yesterday. The oil market on the Produce Exchange will adjourn at noon to-day on account of the year-end entertainment given by the members to several hundred women and children of lower New York City.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Spot	..	..	5.10	6.15
January	6.13	6.12	6.12	6.14
February	..	..	6.12	6.17
March	6.19	6.16	6.18	6.20
April	6.20	6.19	6.19	6.22
May	6.28	6.25	6.26	6.29
June	6.30	6.27	6.28	6.32
July	6.35	6.31	6.31	6.35
August	..	..	6.33	6.37

COUNTRY PRODUCE MARKETS.

BUTTER.—Creamery, extras, pound, 37@37½c; firsts, 32@35c; seconds, 29@31c; thirds, 27@28c; held, extras, 33@34c; firsts, 30@32c; seconds, 28@29c; thirds, 26@27c. State dairy, tubs, finest, 32@34c; good to prime, 28@31c; common to fair, 23@27c; process, extras, 26½@27c; firsts, 25½@26c; seconds, 23@24c; imitation creamery, firsts, 24½@25c; factory, held, 23½@24½c; current make, firsts, 23@24c; seconds, 22@22½c; thirds, 19@21c; packing stock, held, 21@22c; current make, No. 2, 21c; No. 3, 18@20c.

CHEESE.—State, whole milk, held, colored, specials, 18c; white, 18c; colored, average fancy, 17½@17¾c; white, 17½@17¾c; lower grades, 16½@17¼c; fresh, colored, specials, (not green,) 17@17¼c; white, 17@17¼c; colored, average run, 16¼@16½c; white, 16¼@16½c; very green and pasty, 16@16¾c; poor, 14½@15½c; daisies, held, best, 18@18¼c; State, skims, held, specials, 14@14¾c; choice, 13@13½c; firsts, specials, 13½c; choice, 11½@12½c; poor to fair, 8@10½c; full skims, 3@6c.

EGGS.—Fresh gathered, extras, dozen, 31@32c; extras, firsts, 29@30c; firsts, 27@28c; seconds and lower grades, 22@26c; held, fresh, average, best, 21@23c; poor to fair, 16@20c; fresh gathered, dirties, 16@18c; checks, 14@16c; refrigerator, firsts, special marks, fancy, local storage, charges paid, 20½@21c; local storage, charges paid, 19@20c; firsts, on dock, 19@19½c; seconds, 18@18½c; thirds and poorer, 14@17½c; State, Pennsylvania, and near by, hennery whites, good to large size, new laid, 42@45c; selected whites, defective in size or quality, 35@40c; Western, gathered, whites, 28@36c; State, Pennsylvania, and near by, hennery browns, 32c; gathered, brown and mixed colors, 27@30c.

COFFEE.

Reports from Brazil that about 150,000 bags of cost and freight coffee had been sold to the United States and Europe during the last few days, and that this represented liquidation of weak holders, had a stimulating inflence. Prices held very steady and closed within a few points of the top, with a net advance of 5 to 12 points. Total sales, 132,000 bags. Havre closed at a net gain of ¾ to 1 franc, while Hamburg was ¼ to ½ pfennig higher. Rio was 125 reis lower, and Santos unchanged to 100 reis lower.

Spot coffee, inactive but steady; Rio 7, 13⅝c. Total warehouse deliveries in the United States last week were 50,537 bags, against 74,500 last week and 99,774 last year. Of the former amount New York had 36,520 bags.

Receipts at Rio and Santos last week aggregated 210,000 bags, against 287,000 bags the previous week, 125,000 last year, and 144,000 two years ago.

Contract prices follow:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
December	13.05	13.00	....@....	13.08
January	13.15	13.08	13.15@13.16	13.10
February	13.15	13.15	13.25@13.30	13.15
March	13.55	13.47	13.50@13.51	13.40
April	..	..	13.60@13.72	13.53
May	13.80	13.73	13.76@13.77	13.66
June	..	..	13.83@13.84	13.72
July	13.85	13.85	13.90@13.92	13.78
August	..	..	13.97@13.98	13.85
September	14.08	14.00	14.04@14.05	13.93
October	..	..	14.04@14.05	13.93
November	..	..	14.04@14.05	13.93

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

BEEF.—The following are current wholesale market prices for beef cuts in New York City: Ribs, No. 1, 16½c; No. 2, 13½c; No. 3, 10½c; loins, No. 1, 16½c; No. 2, 13½c; No. 3, 10½c; rounds, No. 1, 11½c; No. 2, 10½c; No. 3, 9c; chucks, No. 1, 11c; No. 2, 10c; No. 3, 8½c.

SUGAR.—The sugar market will be closed from noon Tuesday until Thursday morning. There was no change in list prices yesterday.

The following quotations are net, less 2 per cent. discount for cash: Crystal dominoes, in cases of two-pound cartons, $7.90@$8; in cases of five-pound cartons, $7.40@$7.50; Eagle tablets, $6.20; cutloaf, $5.70; crushed, $5.60; Mold A, $5.25; cubes, Eagle, five-pound bags, powdered, and Eagle, confectioners' granulated, $5.15; XXXX powdered, $5.05; powdered, coarse powdered, and Eagle, coarse granulated, $5; fruit, powdered, and Eagle, extra fine, granulated, $4.90; Eagle, two, three and one-half, and five pound cartons of fine granulated, $5.10; three-and-one-half-pound bags, $5.15; five-pound bags, $5.10; ten-pound bags, $5.05; twenty-five and fifty pound bags and standard granulated, $4.90; fine granulated and Diamond A, $4.90; confectioners' A, $4.75; No. 1, $4.65; Nos. 2 to 12, $4.60@$4.10, in five-cent ranges; Nos. 13, 14, and 15, $4.05.

The London beet sugar market was quiet and ¾d lower for December and January at 9s 5¾d, and unchanged for May at 9s 10½d. Centrifugal, 96 test, stood at $3.73 in the local raw sugar market yesterday, with Muscovado, 89 test, at $3.23, and molasses sugar at $2.98.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS.—There was a fairly good demand in this market yesterday at unchanged prices. Offerings were moderate. Quotations: New Orleans, centrifugal, common, 15@16c; fair, 17@20c; good, 21@26c; prime, 28@34c; New Orleans, open kettle, 35@55c; syrups, common, 11@12c; medium, 14@17c; fancy, 25@28c.

RICE.—The rice market was steady and firm yesterday. Buying was fairly active. Quotations: Screenings, 4@4¼c; ordinary, 4¼@4¾c; fair, 4½@5c; good ordinary, 5@5¼c; prime, 5¼@5½c; choice, 5½@5⅝c; head, Japan, 4¾@5c; Patna, 6⅝@7c.

FLOUR AND MEAL.—The flour market was very quiet, with trading of a holiday character. Prices were steady and unchanged.

The following are prices quoted (in wood) on the New York Produce Exchange: Spring patents, $4.50@$4.80; Winter straights, $4.55@$4.65; Winter patents, $4.75@$5.10; Spring clears, $4.30@$4.55; extra No. 1 Winter, $4.15@$4.35; extra No. 2 Winter, $4.05@$4.20; Kansas straights, $4.15@$4.25; fancy Spring patents, $5.40@$5.90. RYE FLOUR—Quoted: Fair to good, $3.60@$3.85; choice to fancy, $3.90@$4. CORNMEAL—Quoted: Kiln-dried, $3.25. BAGMEAL—Quoted: Fine white and yellow, $1.30@$1.35; coarse, $1.25@$1.30. FEED—Quoted: Western Spring, $24; standard middling, $24; flour, middling, $27; Red Dog, $27.10; city bran, $23 bulk, $24.50 sacks; middlings, $24.50@$29; Red Dog, $30.50; hominy, chop, $23@$24 bulk; $24.20@$25.20 sacks; oilmeal, $33@$34.50. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Quoted: $2.50 per 100 pounds.

HAY.—Market quiet. Quotations: Standards, $1.05; prime nominal, No. 1, $1.07½@$1.10; No. 2, $1@$1.02½; No. 3, 80@85c.

OILS.—Linseed oil was unchanged. Refined petroleum was steady, at recent prices.

Quotations: Standard white petroleum, barrels, New York and Philadelphia, $8.50, bulk $4.80; standard white, cases, New York, $10.85; water white, barrels, New York and Philadelphia, $9.50, bulk $5.80; water white, cases, New York and Philadelphia, $11.55; linseed, American seed, city raw, 46@47c; out of town raw, 45@46c; Calcutta raw, 70c.

NAVAL STORES.—The market for naval stores was generally steady yesterday.

Quotations: Spirits turpentine, machine, barrels, 41c. Tar, $6. Resin, common to good, strained, $5.75; B and D, $6.10; E, $6.20; F, $6.25; G, $6.30; H, $6.40; I, $6.50; K, $7.10; M, $7.75; N, $8.35; W G, $8.90, and W W, 9.25.

REPORTS OF STATE BANKS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE BANK OF AMERICA,

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value.		$1,010.00
Other securities, market value.		3,508,981.50
Real estate owned		200,000.00
Loans and discounts secured by bond and mortgage, deed or other real estate collateral		5,000.00
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		9,660,433.09
Loans and discounts without collateral		9,806,191.11
Overdrafts		3,782.35
Due from trust companies, banks and bankers		1,350,507.61
Specie		3,641,480.74
Legal tender notes and notes of National banks		1,492,045.00
Cash items		13,443,407.63
Other assets, viz.:		
Accrued interest not entered		87,800.00
Total		$43,900,619.03

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$1,500,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		6,488,581.24
Unpaid dividends; reserved for taxes, &c., viz.:		
Unpaid dividends	$658.00	
Reserved for taxes	21,507.18	
		22,165.18
Due N. Y. State savings banks	$3,391,754.94	
Deposits not preferred	23,312,365.37	
Due trust companies, banks and bankers	9,125,284.05	
Total deposits		35,829,404.36
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Cashier's checks outstanding	$28,368.25	
Accrued interest not entered	32,100.00	
		60,468.25
Total		$43,900,619.03

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: WILLIAM H. PERKINS, President, and WALTER M. BENNET, Cashier, of the Bank of America, a bank located and doing business at Nos. 44 and 46 Wall Street, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

WILLIAM H. PERKINS, President.
WALTER M. BENNET, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 27th day of December, 1912, before me. B. DENZLER,
[Seal of Notary.] Notary Public, Kings Co.
Certificate filed in New York Co.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

BANK OF EUROPE

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$103,536.25
Other securities, market value		840,481.88
Mortgages owned		54,573.00
Loans and discounts secured by bond and mortgage, deed, or other real estate collateral		28,318.00
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		29,709.20
Loans and discounts without collateral		476,328.66
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		212,312.79
Specie		222,435.85
Legal-tender notes and notes of National banks		74,145.28
Other assets, viz.:		
Furniture and fixtures	$8,940.85	
Accrued interest not entered	13,211.00	
		22,151.85
Total		$2,063,997.76

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$100,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		65,389.16
Preferred deposits	$441.78	
Deposits not preferred	1,792,504.80	
Due trust companies, bank, and bankers	83,437.31	
Total deposits		1,876,383.89
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Cashier's checks outstanding	$2,224.71	
Accrued interest not entered	20,000.00	
		22,224.71
Total		$2,063,997.76

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: THOMAS CAPEK, President, and MAX HOLZ, Asst. Cashier, of Bank of Europe, a bank located and doing business at No. 1,429 First Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law, (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

THOMAS CAPEK, President.
MAX HOLZ, Asst. Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 30th day of December, 1912, before me. JOHN V. RYBA,
Notary Public, N. Y. Co.
[Seal of Notary.] No. 114.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE GERMANIA BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912.

RESOURCES.

Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$125,822.50
Other securities, market value		1,216,851.44
Real estate owned		530,361.23
Mortgages owned		35,000.00
Loans and discounts secured by bond and mortgage, deed or other real estate collateral		10,000.00
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		1,389,453.75
Loans and discounts without collateral		2,724,712.46
Overdrafts		166.73
Due from trust companies, banks and bankers		567,768.26
Specie		1,432,270.75
Legal tender notes and notes of National banks		258,000.00
Cash items		440,315.75
Other assets, viz.:		
Accrued interest not entered		32,220.77
Total		$8,762,943.64

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$200,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		1,053,032.22
Preferred deposits	$873,269.78	
Deposits not preferred	6,460,329.66	
Due trust companies, banks and bankers	29,542.80	
Total deposits		7,363,142.24
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Cashier's checks outstanding	$130,216.49	
Mortgages on real estate owned	5,000.00	
Accrued interest not entered	11,552.69	
		146,769.18
Total		$8,762,943.64

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: CHARLES A. KING, Vice President, and LOFTIN LOVE, Cashier, of The Germania Bank of the City of New York, a bank located and doing business at Nos. 190-2-4 Bowery, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended) and not elsewhere, and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

CHARLES A. KING, Vice President.
LOFTIN LOVE, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 30th day of December, 1912, before me. EMIL T. FUESS,
Notary Public, New York Co., No. 98.
[Seal of Notary.]

METROPOLITAN BANK.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION as reported to the State Superintendent at the close of business December 26th, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$14,314,987.35
Stocks and bonds		374,986.61
Real estate		896,718.73
Due from banks and trust companies	$2,214,706.82	
Cash on hand	5,388,953.17	
		7,603,659.99
		$23,100,352.68

LIABILITIES.

Capital		$2,000,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits		1,783,909.97
Reserved for taxes		35,166.60
Dividends unpaid		70.00
Deposits, individuals	$18,371,813.75	
Deposits, banks	999,368.96	
		19,371,182.71
		$23,190,[illegible]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE SECURITY BANK OF NEW YORK

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912.

RESOURCES.

Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$121,180.00
Other securities, market value		45,761.87
Real estate owned		139,700.03
Mortgages owned		77,960.00
Loans and discounts secured by bond and mortgage, deed or other real estate collateral		72,174.73
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		2,024,092.81
Loans and discounts without collateral		8,038,520.48
Overdrafts		1,859.02
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		969,017.24
Specie	$2,170,911.54	
Legal tender notes and notes of National banks	1,565,779.00	
Cash items	1,458,153.14	
		5,194,843.68
Loan account, balance due on Nineteenth and Twelfth Ward Banks' liquidation		960,000.00
Other assets, viz.:		
Vaults, furniture, and fixtures	$69,458.70	
Rent paid in advance	835.12	
Accrued interest not entered	18,074.92	
		88,368.74
Total		$18,333,478.62

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		1,000,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		450,065.55
Unpaid dividends		864.00
Preferred deposits	$113,650.24	
Deposits not preferred	16,402,386.56	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	38,788.56	
Total deposits		16,554,825.36
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Cashier's checks outstanding	$257,241.22	
Mortgages on real estate owned	8,500.00	
Accrued interest entered	45,849.74	
Accrued interest not entered	16,132.75	
		327,723.71
Total		$18,333,478.62

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: R. ROSS APPLETON, President, and LOUIS V. ENNIS, Cashier, of The Security Bank of New York, a bank located and doing business at No. 1 East 14th Street, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

R. ROSS APPLETON, President.
LOUIS V. ENNIS, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 26th day of December, 1912, before me. ROBERT ROY, Jr.,
Notary Public, Kings County.
Certificate filed in New York County.
[Seal of Notary.]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE FIFTH AVENUE BANK OF NEW YORK,

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$1,136.25
Other securities, market value		5,600.00
Real estate owned		552,066.60
Loans and discounts secured by bond and mortgage, deed, or other real estate collateral		30,750.00
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		8,431,358.42
Loans and discounts without collateral		4,267,522.12
Overdrafts		11,520.66
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		365,406.95
Specie		2,379,967.68
Legal-tender notes and notes of National banks		1,549,800.00
Cash items		496,302.38
Other assets, viz.:		
Accrued interest not entered (estimated)		41,257.77
Total		$18,132,778.83

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		100,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		2,195,293.90
Unpaid dividends; reserved for taxes, &c		40,382.08
Preferred deposits	$44,959.13	
Deposits not preferred	15,202,541.85	
Due trust companies, banks and bankers	23,052.02	
Total deposits		15,270,553.00
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Cashier's checks outstanding	$235,292.08	
Reserve for contingencies	250,000.00	
Unearned discount to offset accrued interest not entered in resources (estimated)	41,257.77	
		526,549.85
Total		$18,132,778.83

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: A. S. FRISSELL, President, and THEO. HETZLER, Cashier of The Fifth Avenue Bank of New York, a bank located and doing business at No. 530 Fifth Avenue, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been trasacted at the location required by the Banking Law, (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

A. S. FRISSELL, President.
THEO. HETLZER, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 30th day of December, 1912, before me. SELAH L. BENNETT,
Notary Public, Westchester County,
Certificate filed in New York County, No. 68,
New York Register No. 4240. Commission expires March 30, 1914.
[Seal of Notary.]

REPORTS OF TRUST COMPANIES.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

United States Trust Co. of New York

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stock and bond investments, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$1,733,025.00
Other securities, market value		9,361,640.00
Real estate owned		1,000,000.00
Mortgages owned		3,748,625.00
Loans secured by collateral		31,995,084.85
Bills purchased not secured by collateral		8,670,774.60
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		4,936,398.53
Specie (gold certificates)		5,200,000.00
Other assets, viz.:		
Accrued interest entered		445,456.55
Total		$67,091,004.53

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$2,000,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		14,447,073.59
Reserved for taxes		78,000.00
Preferred deposits	$11,072,576.57	
Deposits not preferred	36,711,873.76	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	1,983,020.83	
Total deposits		49,767,471.16
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Accrued interest entered		798,459.78
Total		$67,091,004.53

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: EDWARD W. SHELDON, President, and WILFRED J. WORCESTER, Secretary, of United States Trust Company of New York, located and doing business at Nos. 45-7 Wall Street, in the city of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said trust company has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended), and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the date of which such report shall be made.

EDWARD W. SHELDON, President.
WILFRED J. WORCESTER, Secretary.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 30th day of December, 1912, before me.
[Seal of Notary.] PHILIP L. WATKINS,
Notary Public, Kings County.
Certificate filed New York Co., No. 42.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

TITLE GUARANTEE & TRUST COMPANY,

at the close of business on the twenty-sixth day of December, 1912.

RESOURCES.

Stock and bond investments, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$515,900.00
Other securities, market value		6,529,754.[illegible]
Real estate owned		2,480,394.06
Mortgages owned		14,121,724.12
Loans secured by bond and mortgage, deed, or other real estate collateral		893,796.44
Loans secured by other collateral		7,423,648.75
Bills purchased not secured by collateral		3,330,880.73
Overdrafts		761.15
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		2,894,690.81
Specie		1,859,766.20
Legal-tender notes and notes of National banks		1,348,895.00
Cash items		1,109,897.49
Other assets, viz.:		
Suspense	$1,000.00	
Premiums, examination, and search fees due	169,073.49	
Other outstandings	10,294.01	
Accrued interest entered	290,295.73	
Accrued interest not entered	128,700.00	
		599,364.13
Total		$43,209,473.80

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$5,000,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		11,797,655.07
Unpaid dividends, reserved for taxes, &c., viz.:		
Unpaid dividends	$1,109.29	
Reserve for taxes	88,976.99	
Reserve for accrued expenses	20,416.13	
		110,502.41
Preferred deposits	$1,878,971.47	
Deposits not preferred	22,205,821.14	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	1,194,385.03	
Total deposits		25,279,177.64
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Officers' checks outstanding	$591,298.13	
Mortgages on real estate owned	111,226.82	
Accrued interest entered	275,113.73	
Accrued interest not entered	44,500.00	
		1,022,138.68
Total		$43,209,473.80

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: CLARENCE H. KELSEY, President, and J. WRAY CLEVELAND, Secretary, of Title Guarantee and Trust Co., located and doing business at No. 176 Broadway, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said trust company has been transacted at the location required by the banking law, (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the date of which such report shall be made.

CLARENCE H. KELSEY, President.
J. WRAY CLEVELAND, Secretary.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 20th day of December, 1912, before me. ALFRED C. BACHMAN,
Notary Public N. Y. Co. No. 6.
[Seal of Notary.]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE FARMERS' LOAN & TRUST COMPANY

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stock and bond investments, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$9,980,274.32
Other securities, market value		20,732,997.04
Real estate owned		3,647,831.72
Mortgages owned		5,625,449.98
Loans secured by bond and mortgage, deed, or other real estate collateral		36,536.59
Loans secured by other collateral		46,151,870.81
Bills purchased not secured by collateral		3,335,794.53
Overdrafts		458.04
Ovedrafts, secured		42,118.84
Advances to trusts, secured		89,352.54
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		11,211,792.26
Specie		11,103,501.80
Legal-tender notes and notes of National banks		454,400.00
Other assets, viz.:		
Accrued interest entered	$742,276.09	
Accrued interest not entered	314,972.44	
		1,057,248.53
Total		$113,469,627.00

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$1,000,000.00
Undivided profits		6,610,006.48
Unpaid dividends, reserved for taxes, &c., viz.:		
Unpaid dividends	$86.75	
Reserve for taxes	33,224.74	
Reserve for unearned interest	8,765.00	
		42,076.49
Preferred deposits	$6,825,821.73	
Deposits not preferred	89,719,970.66	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	8,601,438.45	
Total deposits		105,147,230.84
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Accrued interest entered	$463,238.83	
Accrued interest not entered	207,074.36	
		670,313.19
Total		$113,469,627.00

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: EDWIN S. MARSTON, President, and WILLIAM B. CARDOZO, Asst. Sec'y, of The Farmers' Loan & Trust Company, located and doing business at Nos. 16-22 William St. and 475 Fifth Av., in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said trust company has been transacted at the location required by the banking law, (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the date of which such report shall be made.

EDWIN S. MARSTON, President.
WILLIAM B. CARDOZO, Asst. Sec'y.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 30th day of December, 1912, before me. LESLIE M. McCRUM,
[Seal of Notary.] Notary Public.
New York County No. 50.
New York Register No. 4096.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

UNION TRUST CO. OF N. Y.

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stock and bond investments, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$3,471,465.73
Other securities, market value		15,648,114.16
Real estate owned		2,400,000.00
Mortgages owned		566,163.74
Loans secured by collateral		28,901,137.59
Bills purchased not secured by collateral		3,325,692.46
Overdrafts		4,535.26
Advances to trusts		18,026.21
Due from trust companies, banks and bankers		3,662,043.89
Specie		6,564,780.74
Legal tender notes and notes of National banks		516,115.00
Cash items		34,150.69
Other assets, viz.:		
Accrued interest entered	$290,932.30	
Accrued interest not entered	189,825.48	
		480,757.78
Total		$65,592,983.25

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$1,000,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		7,770,280.57
Reserved for taxes and expenses		49,625.02
Preferred deposits	$8,560,718.30	
Deposits not preferred	46,302,125.52	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	1,036,690.87	
Total deposits		55,899,534.69
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Officers' checks outstanding	$75,198.36	
Accrued interest entered	694,688.87	
Accrued interest not entered	103,655.74	
		873,542.97
Total		$65,592,983.25

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: EDWIN G. MERRILL, President, and H. M. POPHAM, Sec'y, of Union Trust Co. of N. Y., located and doing business at No. 80 Broadway, and branches at 425 Fifth Av. and 786 Fifth Av., in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said trust company has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the date of which such report shall be made.

EDWIN G. MERRILL, President.
H. M. POPHAM, Sec'y.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 30th day of December, 1912, before me. PETER PALMER,
Notary Public, Kings County, No. 10.
Certificate filed in New York County, No. 6.
Kings County Register's No. 620.
New York County Register's No. 4,041.
Commission expires March 30, 1914.
[Seal of Notary.]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

METROPOLITAN TRUST COMPANY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stock and bond investments, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$1,848,260.00
Other securities, market value		2,946,500.00
Real estate owned		68,701.95
Mortgages owned		953,100.00
Loans secured by other collateral		14,648,137.94
Bills purchased not secured by collateral		2,442,412.20
Overdrafts		33.18
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		2,418,393.92
Specie		1,946,505.18
Legal tender notes and notes of National banks		3,200.00
Cash items		194,522.11
Other assets, viz.:		
Advances to Brooklyn Bank in liquidation		278,735.99
Advances to Williamsburgh Trust Company in liquidation		723,172.40
Advances to Union Bank, Brooklyn		143,970.81
Accrued interest not entered		358,343.42
Total		$28,774,989.10

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$2,000,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		6,234,830.54
Unpaid dividends		6.00
Reserve for contingencies		801,911.64
Reserve for taxes		35,000.00
Reserve for rent		4,616.66
Preferred deposits	$3,027,268.57	
Deposits not preferred	15,297,080.01	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	1,166,106.14	
Total deposits		19,490,454.72
Officers' checks outstanding		19,556.99
Accrued interest not entered		188,612.55
Total		$28,774,989.10

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: BEVERLY CHEW, Second Vice President, and BERTRAM CRUGER, Treasurer, of Metropolitan Trust Company of the City of New York, located and doing business at 49 Wall Street, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said trust company has been transacted at the location required by the banking law, (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the date of which such report shall be made.

BEVERLY CHEW, 2d Vice President,
BERTRAM CRUGER, Treasurer.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 30th day of December, 1912, before me. A. E. VOGLER,
Notary Public, Kings County, N. Y.
Certificate filed in New York County.
[Seal of Notary.]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

LONG ISLAND LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stock and bond investments, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$666,000.00
Other securities, market value		2,841,040.00
Mortgages owned		642,750.00
Loans secured by bond and mortgage, deed, or other real estate collateral		218,487.09
Loans secured by other collateral		4,039,710.61
Bills purchased not secured by collateral		1,024,450.00
Overdrafts		293.10
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		532,402.80
Specie		341,434.93
Legal-tender notes and notes of National banks		225,630.00
Cash items		280.44
Other assets, viz.:		
Accrued interest entered	$62,694.07	
Accrued interest not entered	44,616.80	
		107,310.87
Total		$10,639,789.84

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$1,000,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		2,145,150.16
Unpaid dividends; reserved for taxes, &c., viz.:	$30,000.00 15,260.00	
		45,260.00
Preferred deposits	$1,184,688.54	
Deposits not preferred	6,188,243.04	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	27,800.15	
Total deposits		7,400,731.73
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Officers' checks outstanding	$1,185.83	
Accrued interest entered	34,513.32	
Accrued interest not entered	12,948.60	
		48,647.95
Total		$10,639,789.84

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE NEW YORK TRUST COMPANY,

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stock and bond investments, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$3,512,204.73
Other securities, market value		10,176,919.30
Real estate owned		47,434.31
Mortgages owned		2,163,658.90
Loans secured by bond and mortgage, deed or other real estate collateral		1,827,126.27
Loans secured by other collateral		20,877,856.92
Bills purchased not secured by collateral		3,367,633.76
Overdrafts		6,382.10
Due from trust companies, banks and bankers		3,380,782.76
Specie		3,554,911.29
Legal tender notes and notes of National banks		462,000.00
Other assets, viz.:		
Exchanges for Clearing House	$1,370,279.79	
Accrued interest not entered	393,446.29	
		1,763,726.08
Total		$51,140,636.44

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$3,000,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		11,804,570.98
Reserved for taxes		71,000.00
Preferred deposits	$5,813,044.17	
Deposits not preferred	26,717,732.01	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	2,317,193.66	
Total deposits		34,847,969.84
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Officers' checks outstanding	$817,645.18	
Accrued interest entered	12,411.46	
Accrued interest not entered	587,039.00	
		1,417,095.64
Total		$51,140,636.44

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: OTTO T. BANNARD, President, and JAMES DODD, Treasurer, of The New York Trust Company, located and doing business at No. 26 Broad Street, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said trust company has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law (chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the date of which such report shall be made.

OTTO T. BANNARD, President,
JAMES DODD, Treasurer.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 30th day of December, 1912, before me. JOSEPH A. FLYNN,
Notary Public, Queens County.
Certificate filed in New York County. County Clerk's Office No. 64; Register's Office No. 4162.
[Seal of Notary.]

STATE OF NEW YORK,
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.

In the liquidation of THE EMPIRE STATE SURETY COMPANY of New York.

To the creditors and stockholders and all other persons interested in the affairs of The Empire State Surety Company:

Notice is hereby given:

I. That the undersigned, William T. Emmet, as Superintendent of Insurance of the State of New York, has been directed, by order of the Supreme Court, this day made and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, to take possession of the property and liquidate the business of The Empire State Surety Company, pursuant to the provisions of Section 63 of the Insurance Law; and that the undersigned has, pursuant to said section, duly appointed Frederic G. Dunham, a Special Deputy Superintendent of Insrance, as his agent to liquidate the business of the said corporation.

II. That all persons having any unsatisfied claim or demand of any character against the said The Empire State Surety Company are hereby required to file a written statement thereof, verified under oath, with the said Frederic G. Dunham, Special Deputy Superintendent of Insurance in charge of the liquidation of said company, at his office, No. 84 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 25th day of February, 1913.

III. That all stockholders of said company are hereby required to file the respective certificates of stock held by them with the said Frederic G. Dunham, Special Deputy Superintendent of Insurance, at his said office on or before the said 25th day of Februacy, 1913. Proper receipts therefor will be given.

IV. That the claims presented against the said company will be determined, the creditors of the company paid and its assets distributed, without other or further notice to persons failing to comply with the above directions.

V. That all communications relating to the said company should be addressed to the said Frederic G. Dunham, Special Deputy Superintendent of Insurance, at his said office, No. 84 William Street, Borough of Manhatta, City of New York.

WILLIAM T. EMMET,
Superintendent of Insurance.

Dated New York City, December 16, 1912.

The New York Times Annual Financial Review Next Sunday

SEVENTEENTH YEAR OF PUBLICATION

Corporation Stock Holdings.

Corporations representing nearly $10,000,000,000 capital have reported regarding stockholdings. This report includes not only number of stockholders in general, but number of individuals, number of women, total and average holdings of individuals, including women; total held in names of brokers, amounts held by institutions, and amounts held abroad. Over four billions in capital have reported in detail over years, so that statistical study will be made of increase of stockholdings by women, trend of investment holding and rapid decline of speculative "floating" supply of stocks; also changes in foreign holdings. This is an absolutely **pioneer** study of corporation ownership in this country. Other papers have published big total of all stockholders only, but no such complete study has ever been made before.

Special articles and statistics regarding:

Canadian Trade and Banking During the Year.
Proposed Revision of Canadian Bank Laws.
Year's Supreme Court Decisions Affecting Corporations.
Europe's Liquidation of American Stocks as Seen Abroad.
Financial Effects of the Balkan War.
Better Farming and Agricultural Banks.
Foreign Trade.
Year's Yield of the Farms.
Notable Recovery in Railroad Earnings.
Remarkable Year in the Iron Trade.
Year's Lessons Touching on and Appertaining to Currency Reform.

The current business situation and the outlook for the ensuing year will be discussed by bankers and business leaders in many parts of the country, including:

W. H. Crocker, President Crocker National Bank, San Francisco.
James B. Forgan, President First National Bank, Chicago.
J. J. Gannon, President Hibernia Bank & Trust Co., New Orleans.
James J. Hill.
J. C. Mitchell, President Denver National Bank, Denver.
F. H. Prince, President First National Bank, Minneapolis.
George M. Reynolds, Pres. Continental & Commercial Nat. B'k, Chicago.
E. F. Swinney, President First National Bank, Kansas City.
Joseph T. Talbert, Vice President National City Bank, New York.
Robert Wardrop, President Peoples National Bank, Pittsburgh.

Interesting features of the situation abroad will be treated in special correspondence from England, France, Germany, Holland, Russia, and Italy. A special article by M. Yves Guyot, former Minister of Public Works of France, will deal with some phases of France's experience in the Governmental ownership of railways.

F. Handel Booth, M. P., writes of the year's experience with the new English national insurance law.

THE REAL ESTATE FIELD

Estate Sells Lenox Hill Dwelling—Deal Pending for Gen. Bryce Plot Near Fifth Avenue—Record Thirty-fourth Street Lease—Big Transactions in the Bronx.

Of chief importance in the realty market yesterday was the sale of a fine residence in the Lenox Hill section, near Park Avenue, and the anouncement of a pending deal in the upper Fifth Avenue section for a big dwelling improvement. This latter transaction, which is likely to be definitely closed in a few days, has to do with a fifty-foot plot on the north side of Ninety-fifth Street, 100 feet east of Fifth Avenue. It is owned by Gen. Lloyd S. Bryce, who also owns the Fifth Avenue corner. Its prospective buyer is said to be a wealthy woman who contemplates erecting a fine house on the plot. It adjoins the 100 foot plot to the east lately purchased by Ernesto G. Fabbri through Pease & Elliman, who are negotiating the pending deal.

The residential sale in the Lenox Hill district involved the sale of the four-story dwelling at 49 East Sixty-eighth Street by the estate of Frederick D. Tappen. It covers a plot 25 by 100.5, and adjoins the new residence lately completed by Percy R. Pyne on the northwest corner of Park Avenue.

Buyers for West Side Flats.

The five-story double flat at 104 West Ninety-fifth Street, on lot 25 by 100.8, adjoining the southwest corner of Columbus Avenue, has been sold to a Mr. Rooney by the estate of Col. Joseph F. Hillenbrand. E. Francis Hillenbrand represented the seller in the deal, and the Herman Arms Company the buyer. The consideration was $27,500.

The five-story double flat at 144 West 103d Street, on plot 27 by 100, has been purchased by Leonard Weill from Henry Michaelis. It is near the 103d Street Subway station. The house is known as the Beaulieu. Emanuel Simon was the broker.

Sells West Side Dwelling.

The Raymond Russell Estate has sold to a client of Slawson & Hobbs 151 West Eighty-seventh Street, a four-story dwelling on a lot 16.8 by 100.8.

Reported Loft Deal.

William Morton Garden of Philadelphia is reported to have sold to a syndicate of investors the property at 476 and 478 Broome Street, with an "L" to 62 Wooster Street, surrounding the northeast corner of those thoroughfares.

The former is a six-story structure, occupying a plot 50 by 100, and the latter a three-story building, covering a lot 25 by 100. The property has been held at about $150,000.

Record 34th Street Lease.

A new leasing record for Thirty-fourth Street in the Fifth Avenue retail section, has been established in the leasing of the store at 27 West Thirty-fourth Street for M. H. Harris to Sammerfield & Weill, doing business as the Gotham Silk Hosiery Shop. The store has been leased for five and one-half years at $12,000 per annum, or at the rate of $1,333.33 a front foot. The broker was H. Freud, and it is the second high priced lease he has made in the block within the past month, the preceding one being the store at 11 West Thirty-fourth Street to Schrafft Company.

Investor Buys Bronx Corners.

One of the largest deals consummated in the Jerome Avenue section of the Bronx was reported yesterday by Lee T. Alton, who sold for the Alwold Realty Company to an investor two corner plots, one at the northeast corner of Cromwell Avenue and 165th Street, 202 by 143.02, and the other at the southeast corner of Cromwell Avenue and 165th Street, 135 by 98.

The property is located in the active section of Jerome Avenue, and was held for $75,000. The subway is under construction through Mott and River Avenues. The Eight Avenue extension line will parallel it in that vicinity. Properties in this location are held firmly, as the majority of the present owners will not sell until the subway is in operation.

Bronx.

H. Hornstein has sold to William Greenberger a four-story new law double flat situated at 887 Kelly Street, on a plot 33.4 by 100. Jacob Leitner and Bernard Lichtig were the brokers in the deal.

Nicholas Lopard has sold for the Coster Realty Company the two-family detached brick house at 665 Coster Street to J. Mongiolo.

Heiler & Sussman have leased for Samuel Carrucci the two new law houses, being the corner of Crotona Avenue and 176th Street, each on a plot of 50 by 100, at an aggregate rental of $60,000 for five years.

B. Horn has purchased from H. Hornstein a four-story double new law flat at 891 Kelly Street, adjoining the corner of Intervale Avenue, on a plot of 33.4 by 100. Adolph Fox was the broker.

A. J. Madden sold for William R. Helbig 1,171 Hoe Avenue, a two-family house, on a lot 25 by 100.

H. J. Radin has sold for Mrs. Thomas W. Houchin to the L. & S. Company the southeast corner of Washington Avenue and 169th Street, a plot 100 by 100, on which the buyers will erect two high-class apartments with stores.

McDonald & Steurer have sold for a client to Joseph G. Benford a plot of seven lots on the line of the New York & Westchester Railroad at Arden estates, Williamsbridge.

Long Island.

The Somerville Realty Company has sold at Somerville Park, Arverne: A plot 40 by 100 in the east side of Clarence Avenue to M. Keary and a plot 40 by 100 in the west side of Clarence Avenue to B. Musitano.

Recent Buyers.

Dr. John B. Corsiglia is the buyer of the tenement at 10 and 12 Franklin Street, the sale of which by Angello Legniti was reported recently.

Commercial Leases.

The Cross & Crown Company has leased the building 536 to 538 West Forty-ninth Street to the Schacht Motor Car Company.

J. P. & E. J. Murray have leased for the Budelman Estate to Hymen Levin the building 207 East 110th Street for a term of ten years.

Daniel Birdsall & Co. have leased the store and basement in the Bayard Building, 524 to 528 Broadway, corner of Spring Street; also the store and basement 98 to 100 Bleecker Street, containing about 20,000 feet of space, to a large dealer in woolens for the Brandegee Estate of Boston.

The Rockaway Park Realty Company has leased for the Matinecock Realty Company the latter's hotel at Rockaway Park, known as the Park Inn. The lessee is the Marine Restaurant Company, under the management of Charles A. Carrigan.

Mortgage Loans Placed.

The M. Morgenthau, Jr., Company has placed a first mortgage loan of $65,000 for four years for Joseph S. Guthorn on the premises 5 West Thirtieth Street. The property consists of an old four-story and basement dwelling on a lot 25 by 98.9, located on the north side of West Thirtieth Street 150 feet west from the corner of Fifth Avenue. The mortgage is being taken by an out-of-town investor.

New Building Corporation.

The United Assets Corporation recently organized with a capital of $750,000 for operating and financing building propositions in New York City, has elected the following officers: President, William D. Bloodgood of William D. Bloodgood & Co.; Vice President, Clinton R. James, President of the Title Insurance Company of New York; Treasurer, William H. Williams, President of First Mortgage Guarantee Company Borough of Queens. Directors—Jules S. Bache of J. S. Bache & Co.; J. A. Wigmore, President of [illegible] Realty and Terminal Company; William Brewster of Brewster & Co.; Cyril Crimmins, Morgan J. O'Brien, Jr., H. P. Williams, John F. James, Jr., H. P. Read, Charles H. Jones.

Results at Auction.

Yesterday's offerings at the Real Estate Salesroom, 14 and 16 Vesey Street, resulted as follows:

By Joseph P. Day.

137th St, 221 West, n s, 267 ft w of 7th Av, 18x99.11, three-story dwelling; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, Germania Life Insurance Co., $15,000.

102d St, 223 East, n s, 330 ft e of 3d Av, 25x100.11; five-story tenement and stores; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, George Radey, $15,000.

By Henry Brady.

122d St, 208 East, s s, 105 ft e of 3d Av, 25x100.11, five-story tenement and stores; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, Sigismund Levy, $20,157.

By Samuel Marx.

Christopher St, 75, n s, 101 ft w of 4th St, 25x100.2x25x106.1, six-story tenement and stores; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, Harry Hastorf, $37,225.

AT 3,208 THIRD AVENUE.

By Samuel Goldsticker.

Jerome Av, e s, 28.6 ft n of 199th St, 51.1x138.6x45x113.9, vacant; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, H. S. Merkel, $3,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

MONDAY, DEC. 30.

With name and address of purchaser and attorney. Where attorney's name is omitted address party of the second part.

Manhattan.

CANAL ST, 255, n s, 25x75; Edward A. Hannan to City Real Estate Co., 176 Broadway, (mtg $27,000,) July 10; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway......$100

CHRISTOPHER ST, 75, n s, 25x106.2, (foreclosure Dec. 30;) Arthur M. Levy, referee, to Harry Hastorf, 247 West 131st St, (mtg $27,000, all liens,) Dec. 30; attorneys, Davis & D., 51 Chambers St..............$10,000

ST. NICHOLAS AV, w s, 100.5 ft n of 175th St, 100.6x irregular, gore; Robert C. Rathbone to Thomas Smith, 2,391 Walton Av, Dec. 9; attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway..............$100

WALKER ST, 81 and 81½, s s, 36 ft e of Cortlandt Alley, 36x100; Robert Gibson to Hy. W. Ellison, 615 Prospect Place, Brooklyn, (mtg $40,000 and all liens,) Dec. 30; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance Co., 160 Broadway....$1

SAME PROPERTY; Hy. W. Ellison to Sarah L. McC. Marsh, widow, 327 Park Av, Paterson, N. J., (mtg $45,000, all liens,) Dec. 30; attorney, same..............$1

WEST END AV, w s, 61 ft n of 72d St, 19.6x115; George P. Brett to Gramercy Investing Co., 64 Irving Place, (mtg $30,000,) Dec. 30; attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway..............$60,000

1ST AV, w s, 40.11 ft s of 100th St, 40x100, (foreclosure Nov. 14;) Isham Henderson, referee, to Metropolitan Trust Co., 49 Wall St, Dec. 30; attorney, Winston H. Hagen, 49 Wall Street..............$33,500

3D ST, 81 West, n w corner of Thompson St, 25.3x109.4; Edward Judson to Corporation of Memorial Baptist Church of Christ, (mtg $25,000,) Jan. 20, 1900; attorneys, Murray, P. & H., 37 Wall St..............$30,000

5TH AV, 252, w s, 17x100; Irving Judis Building and Construction Co. to Second National Bank, 250 5th Av, (mtg $145,000,) Dec. 30; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance Co., 160 Broadway..............$100

6TH AV, s e corner of 11th St, 34.6x117x57x70.1; Alexander McClelland to William R. Bedell, 100 West 106th St, Dec. 30; attorneys, Bowers & S., 31 Nassau St..............$100

SAME PROPERTY; William R. Bedell to Leonard Weill, 76 West 102d St, (mtg $38,000,) Dec. 30; attorneys, Arnstein & L., 128 Broadway..............$100

6TH ST, 721 East, n s, 25.4x90.10; Rachel Selinger to Max Selinger, 721 East 6th St, (mtg $28,500,) Dec. 28; attorney, H. A. Goldal, 280 Broadway..............$100

8TH AV, 2,797, w s, 25x100; Charles Petroll to Hy. J. Beck, 600 West 178th St, (mtg $27,000,) Dec. 28; attorney, E. L. Jacobs, 31 Nassau St..............$100

8TH ST, (St. Mark's Place,) n s, 178 ft e of 3d Av, 26x112.10; John Kreusser to Hannah C. Maschman, 154 North 15th St, East Orange, N. J., B. & S., C. A. G., all liens, Dec. 30; attorney, George Haas, 119 Nassau St......$1

SAME PROPERTY; Hannah C. Maschman to John Kreusser, 108 Archer Av, Mount Vernon, all liens, B. & S. and C. A. G., Dec. 30; attorney, same..............$1

55TH ST, 140-142 West, s s, 46.10x100.5; George Backer et al. to David Banks, 829 Park Av, (mtg $165,000,) Dec. 20; attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway..............$100

55TH ST, 255 West, n s, 18.6x75; Fisher Lewine to Luke Blake, 77 West 55th St, (mtg $19,000,) Dec. 20; attorney, Millard F. Johnson, 111 Broadway..............$100

72D ST, 35 East, n s, 22x102.2; Lucretia R. Makepeace to David Banks, 829 Park Av, ½ part, (mtg $45,000,) Dec. 27; attorney, Lawyers Title Co., 160 Broadway..............$100

SAME PROPERTY; David Banks to Alice G. D'Oench, at Manhasset, L. I., (mtg $45,000,) Dec. 30; same attorney..............$100

89TH ST, n s, 230 ft w of West End Av, 20x100; J. Cleveland Cady to Jacob Hertzberg, 223 West 121st St, (mtg $15,000,) Dec. 27; attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway...$1

111TH ST, s s, 119 ft e of 5th Av, 18x100.11; Smada Realty Co. to Frances A. Langworthy, Bloomfield, N. J., mtg $12,000, Dec. 27; attorney, C. D. Rust, 132 Nassau St..............$100

113TH ST, 250 West, s s, 16x100.11; John Walsh to Ellen M. Walsh, 250 West 113th St, Dec. 28; attorney, Hy F. Miller, 44 Pine St.$1

118TH ST, 6 East, s s, 25x100.11; Nellie R., wife of Edward D. Birkholz to Herman Timberger, 85 Fort Washington Av, mtg $23,000 and all liens, B. & S. and C. A. G., Dec. 28; attorneys, Feltenstein & R., 309 Broadway. $100

120TH ST, 118 East, s s, 25x100.10; Louis H. Kopp to Katherina Elias, 404 East 52d St, (mtg $24,000,) Dec. 27; attorney, L. W. Osterweis, 200 5th Av..............$1

120TH ST, 120 East, s s, 25x100.10; same to same, (mtg $24,000,) Dec. 27; same attorney.$1

121ST ST, 225 East, n s, 25x100.10; Phoenix Ingraham, referee, to Archdeaconry of New York, Dec. 24; attorney, C. A. Clark, 46 Cedar St..............$10,000

124TH ST, n s, 180 ft e of 5th Av, 20x100.11; Florence Ells to Agnes E. Kingsbury, 2,004 5th Av, Dec. 27; attorney, Ronald K. Brown, 320 Broadway..............$1

SAME PROPERTY, Agnes E. Kingsbury to Bette E. J. Ells and Florence N., his wife, 11 East 124th St, tenants by entirety, Dec. 27; attorney, same..............$1

126TH ST, 14 West, s s, 18.9x99.11; William H. Stewart to Alexis M. Leon, 79 East 56th St, Dec. 30; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance Co., 160 Broadway..............$100

SAME PROPERTY; Alexis M. Leon to Young Men's Christian Association of New York, 215 West 23d St, all liens, Dec. 30; attorney, same..............$100

131ST ST, 4 West, s s, 99.11x17.9x irreg; 131st St, 6 West, s s, 17.9x94.11; Dora Eichler to Thomas Johnson, 208 West 133d St, (mtg $18,000,) Dec. 24; attorney, E. A. Johnson, 154 Nassau Street..............$1

142D ST, n s, 225 ft w of 8th Av, 25x½ block, (foreclosure Nov. 22;) Carl S. Dietz, referee, to Anna Norz, 507 Main St, East Orange, N. J., Dec. 30; attorneys, Fletcher, S. & L., 165 Broadway..............$8,350

160TH ST, n s, 125 ft w of Broadway, runs n 199.10 to s s of 161st St x w 145.10 to e s of Fort Washington Av x s 194.3x s e — to 160th st x e — to beginning; 161st St, n s, 175 ft w of Broadway, runs n 199.19 to s s of 162d St x w 151.11 to e s of Fort Washington Av x s 204.5 to 161st St x e 108.10 to beginning; J. Romaine Brown and another, executors Loyal L. Smith, to Gertrude A. Vanderbeck, 149 West 126th St, Nov. 30; attorney, Lawyers Title Guarantee Co., 160 Broadway..............$100

160TH ST, n e corner of Fort Washington Av, runs n 10.2x e 38.6 to n s of street x w 35 to beginning, gore; City Real Estate Co. to Gertrude A. Vanderbeck, 149 West 126th St, B. & S., Dec. 30; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance Co., 160 Broadway..............$100

160TH ST, n e corner of Fort Washington Av, 102.8x99.4x124.3x102.2; Gertrude A. Vanderbeck to Mark Ash, 316 West 103d St, B. & S., Dec. 30; attorney, Max Stern, 64 Wall St.$100

160TH ST, n e corner of Fort Washington Av, 102.8x99.4x124.3x102.2; Mark Ash to M. J. B. Construction Co., 691 Broadway, B. & S., Dec. 30; attorney, Max Stern, 64 Wall St......$100

162D ST, s s, 175 ft w of Broadway, runs s 99.11x w 130.4 to e s of Fort Washington Av x n 102.2 to street x e 151.11 to beginning; Gertrude A. Vanderbeck to Friedman Construction Co., 171 Broadway, B. & S., Dec. 30; attorney, Title Insurance Co., 135 Broadway. $100

178TH ST, s s, 100 ft w of St. Nicholas Av, 100x99.10; Ellen A. Stewart and another to Monaton Realty Investing Corporation, 217 West 43d St, mtg $132,000, Dec. 26; attorney, Ronald K. Brown, 320 BroadwayOmitted

184TH ST, n s, 150 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 50x99.11, (mtg $55,000,) Dec. 27; De Ruyter Van Orden, a corporation, to Rufus L. Weaver, 651 West 179th St, or 115 Broadway..$100

Bronx.

BLACKROCK AV, n s, 279.9 ft w of Castle Hill Av, 99.11x108; Anna T. Hoffmann to Martha C. Bergman, 319 East 156th St, Dec. 27; attorney, R. H. Bergman, 3,219 3d Av....$100

SAME PROPERTY; Martha C. Bergman to Emil R. and Anna T. Hoffmann, 2,159 Blackrock Av, Dec. 27; same attorney..........$100

CROTONA AV, n e corner of 187th St, 200x100; Michell Bolognese to Nista Constr. Co., 605 East 189th St., (mtg $21,625,) May 31; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway..............$100

FOREST AV, 853, 25x100; James A. Foley, referee, to Samuel Friedmann, 16 West 117th St, Dec. 30; attorney, Lawrence L. Levy, 280 Broadway..............$50

FOREST AV, w s, 190 ft s of Anne St, 20x87.6; Robert J. Moorehead to Frank Fischer, 2,184 Valentine Av, Dec. 21, (mtg $7,500;) attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Company, 176 Broadway..............$100

LAFONTAINE AV, s w corner of 179th St, 97.5x100x112.9x101.1; George P. Breckinridge to Mutual Life Insurance Co., 34 Nassau St, Dec. 27..............$11,500

LOT 343, same map; same to Frank de Caro, 725 Greenwood Av, Brooklyn, Dec. 16; same attorney..............$100

LOTS 77 and 78, map of Forster & Schmitt property; Henry Forster to Thomas Fagan, 217 East 57th St, Dec. 19; attorney, Lawyers Title Company..............$100

LOTS 107 to 109, map of Harrington estate; Frank Gass to William Reichelt, 1,654 Zerega Av, Dec. 9..............$100

LOTS 20 and 21, Block 17; Lots 12, 20, to 23, Block 19; Lot 21, Block 20; Lots 26 to 30, Block 24; Lots 4, 10, 11, 14, 40 to 42, Block 25; Lots 2, 5, and 6, Block 28; Lots 1, 5, and 6, Block 33; Lots 11 to 40, Block 35; Lots 1 to 8, Block 39, map of Pelham Park; Lots 8 and 9, Block 25; Walter W. Taylor to William R. Nash, 378 Montgomery St., Brooklyn, (mtg $27,000,) Dec. 27..........$100

LOTS 10 to 29, Block 16; Lot 2, Block 25, same map; same to same, (mtg $1,200,) Dec. 27..............$1

LOTS 108 and 109, map of Joel Wolfe estate; Ralph L. Sachs to Maxwell C. Lewis, 452 Ft. Washington Av, Dec. 28; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway. $100

PAULDING AV, e s, 95 ft n of 217th St, 19.4x100; Isidor Cohn, referee, to Vincenzo Laporta, 586 Morris Av, Dec. 11; attorneys, Fraser & H., 277 Broadway..............$625

PERRY AV, w s, 322 ft n of Holt Place, 22x85.2; Robert J. Moorehead to Frank Fischer, 2,184 Valentine Av, Dec. 21, (mtg $5,500;) attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Company, 176 Broadway..............$100

PROSPECT ST, w s, at line between lands of Mary A. Booth, runs n 150x e 16x s 50x e 16x s 50x e 24x s 100x w 40; William E. Slevin, referee, to George P. Koehler, guardian, 435 East 155th St, Dec. 24; attorney, J. F. Frees, 3,029 3d Av..............$3,500

ST. ANN'S AV, 150, e s, 20x80; Micke Berg to Clinton Mackey, 25 8th Av, Brooklyn, Dec. 28; attorney, J. E. R. Kunzman, 5 Nassau St.$1

TINTON AV, 527, w s, 25x100; Julius Harburger, (Sheriff,) to Joseph I. Charleton, 527 Tinton Av, Oct. 30; attorney, Louis O. Van Doren, 35 Nassau St..............$3,656

TINTON AV, w s, 100 ft n of 150th St, 75x95.2; Maurice Meyer, referee, to Fulson Realty Company, 281 Broadway, Jan. 3, 1911; attorney, Edward Herrmann, 281 Broadway, $2,000

VILLA AV, 3,098, e s, 25x82.4; Battista Tucci to Biagio Gingliano, 3,090 Villa Av, Dec. 20, (mtg $4,500;) attorney, Leo Schafran, 51 Chambers St..............$100

WALES AV, 429, n w s, 50x100; Estate of I. A. Lustgarten, corporation, to Realty Redemption Company, 68 William St, Dec. 28 $1

WOODRUFF AV, s e corner of Broad St, 100x100; Henry M. Stevenson, referee, to Northern Bank of New York, 60 Broadway, Dec. 30; attorneys, Breed, A. & M., 32 Liberty. $20,500

141ST ST, s s, 859 ft e of Willis Av, 37.6x100; Frank Fischer to Robert J. Moorehead, 415 East 140th St, Dec. 16, (mtg $31,000;) attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Company, 176 Broadway..............$100

178TH ST, n e s, 150 ft s e of Vanderbilt Av, 16.8x108; Edward A. Woodman to Martha L. Woodman, 457 East 178th St, Dec. 30, (mtg $2,500;) attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Company, 176 Broadway..............$1

217TH ST, n s, 60 ft e of Paulding Av, 20x95; Max S. Levine, referee, to Vincenzo Laporta, 586 Morris Av, Dec. 24; attorneys, Fraser & H., 277 Broadway..............$580

217TH ST, n s, 40 ft e of Paulding Av, 20x95; Max L. Levine, referee, to Vincenzo Laporta, 586 Morris Av, Dec. 24; attorneys, same..$580

217TH ST, n e corner of Paulding Av, 20x95; Isidor Cohn, referee, to Vincenzo Laporta, 586 Morris Av, Dec. 24; attorneys, same....$900

RECORDED MORTGAGES.

With name and address of lender and lender's attorney. Interest is at 5 per cent, unless otherwise specified.

Manhattan.

ATTORNEY ST, 17 and 19, s w corner of Grand St, 100x20; Rebecca Harris to Morris L. Harris, 231 Rodney St, Brooklyn, prior mtg $45,000, Dec. 30, due Jan. 1, 1916, 6 p. c.; attorney, Hy. J. Krinsky, 346 Broadway..............$5,000

BOWERY, 281, n e corner of Houston St, 23x70; Howard Cooper to Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway, Dec. 30, due, &c, as per bond..............$35,000

FORT WASHINGTON AV, n e corner of 160th St, 102.2x124.3; M. J. B. Construction Co. to Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway, Dec. 30, 3 years, 6 p. c..$45,000

FORT WASHINGTON AV, n e corner of 160th St, 102.2x124.3; M. J. B. Construction Co. to Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway, Dec. 30, (prior mtg $45,000,) 1 year, 6 p. c.; attorney same..........$16,250

FORT WASHINGTON AV, s e corner of 161st St, 102.2x124.4; Gertrude A. Vanderbeck to Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway, Dec. 30, 1 year, 6 p. c....$40,000

FORT WASHINGTON AV, n e corner of 161st St, 102.2x130.4; same to Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway, Dec. 17, due as per bond..............$25,000

LEXINGTON AV, n w corner of 27th St, 19.9x80; John J. Welstead to Bowery Savings Bank, 128 Bowery, Dec. 30, 5 years, 4½ p. c.; attorneys, Strong & C., 40 Wall St....$7,000

WAVERLEY PLACE, s s, 159.3 ft e of 6th Av, 22x irregular; Helen A. Roche to Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank, 51 Chambers St, Dec. 28, 1 year; attorney, E. J. McGuire, 51 Chambers St..............$1,500

WEST END AV, w s, 61 ft n of 72d St, 19.6x115; Gramercy Investing Co. to George P. Brett, 267 West End Av, Dec. 30, prior mtg $30,000, due as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$15,000

2D AV, 462, n e corner of 26th St, 24.9x70.6; Henry Meyer to Citizens' Savings Bank, 56 Bowery, Dec. 30, due Nov. 15, 1917, 4½ p. c.; attorneys, Persson & Beale, 5 Nassau St... $16,000

6TH AV, s e corner of 11th St, 34.6x117; William R. Bedell to American Mortgage Co., 31 Nassau St, Dec. 30, 5 years; attorneys, Bowers & S., 31 Nassau St..............$35,000

6TH AV, s e corner of 11th St, 34.6x117; William R. Bedell to American Mortgage Co., 31 Nassau St, (prior mtg $35,000,) Dec. 30, 1 year, 5½ p. c.; attorneys, Bowers & S., 31 Nassau St..............$3,000

22D ST, 328 West, 21x98.6; Anna C. Goodwin to Farmers' Loan and Trust Co., 22 William St, Dec. 30, due Sept. 21, 1915, as per bond; attorneys, Geller, R. & H., 22 Exchange Place..............$8,000

25TH ST, 207 to 217 West, 126x98.9; Graphic Arts Realty Co. to Equitable Trust Co. of New York, trustees, 37 Wall St, prior mtg $375,000, July 1, due July 1, 1931, 6 p. c.. $350,000

55TH ST, 140-142 West, s s, 46.10x100.5; David Banks to George Backer, 51 Hamilton Terrace and another, prior mtg $165,000, Dec. 30, due, &c, as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.. $25,000

83D ST, 612 East, 25x90; Leon Sobel to Union Trust Co., 80 Broadway, 5 years, Dec. 30; attorney, F. de P. Foster, 44 Wall St..$6,000

89TH ST, n s, 230 ft w of West End Av, 20x100; Jacob Hertzberg to J. C. Cady, Alpine, Bergen Co., N. J., Dec. 30, prior mtg $15,000, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway..............$6,000

111TH ST, s s, 119 ft e of 5th Av, 18x100.11; Frances A. Langworthy to Smada Realty Co., 391 East 149th St, Dec. 27, 2 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, Charles D. Rust, 132 Nassau St.. $3,500

124TH ST, 426, s s, 25x100.11; Port Jervis Land Improvement Co. to Harry D. Galenter, 342 East 15th St, prior mtg $22,000, Dec. 11, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, Leo Schafran, 51 Chambers St..............$5,000

142D ST, n s, 225 ft w of 8th Av, 25x ½ block; Anna Narz to Lawyers Mortgage Co., 59 Liberty St., Dec. 26, due Jan. 1, 1918; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway..............$7,000

162D ST, s s, 175 ft w of Broadway, 152x102.2; Friedman Construction Co. to Montrose Realty Co., 135 Broadway, Dec. 10, 1 year, 6 p. c.; attorney, Title Insurance Co., 135 Broadway..............$220,000

162D ST, s s, 175 ft w of Broadway, 152x102.2; Friedman Construction Co. to Gertrude A. Vanderbeck, 149 West 126th St, (prior mtg $220,000,) Dec. 30, due as per bond; attorney, Title Insurance Co., 135 Broadway..$22,500

178TH ST, s s, 100 ft w of St. Nicholas Av, 100x99.10; Monaton Realty Investing Corporation to Ellen A. Stewart, 444 Columbus Av, Dec. 26, prior mtg $104,000, installments, 6 p. c.; attorney, R. K. Brown, 320 Broadway..............$28,000

Bronx.

BELMONT AV, e s, at line between Lots 39 and 44, map of Fairmount, 25x100; Alice Titus to Bertha Levy, 1,956 Crotona Parkway, prior mtg $2,500, Dec. 28, due as per bond; attorney, Charles S. Levy, 2,720 3d Av..$500

CROTONA AV, n e corner of 187th St, 100x50; Nista Construction Co. to Chelsea Realty Co, 135 Broadway, Dec. 30, 5 years, 5½ p. c.; attorney, Title Insurance Co, 135 Broadway..............$39,000

EVELYN PLACE, s s, 175 ft w of Jerome Av, 40x100; Amelia Schramm to Henrietta S. W. Archer, 1,219 Madison Av, 3 years, Dec. 30; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co, 176 Broadway..............$6,000

FOREST AV, 1,129, w s, 20x87.6; Frank Fischer to Robert J. Moorehead, 415 East 140th St, prior mtg $7,500, Dec. 21, due, &c, as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway..............$1,000

LOT 16, revised map of Seneca Park, 30.3x97.4x40x97.5; Hermann H. Isch to Jacob Lotter, 2,127 Baychester Av, Dec. 10, 1 year, 6 p. c.; attorney, T. Power, 2,758 Walker Av..............$1,450

LOTS 77 and 78, map of Forster Schmitt property; Thomas Fagan to Henry Forster, 138 East 40th St, Dec. 19, 1 year, 4½ p. c.; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway..............$1,500

LOT 343, same map; Frank De Caro to Henry Forster, 128 East 40th St, Dec. 16, 3 years, 4½ p. c.; attorney same..............$900

LOT 18, map of New York Catholic Protectory; Gidale Lion to Esther Laufer, 118 Columbia St, Dec. 30, due July 1, 1918, 6 p. c.; attorney, S. N. Tuckman, 320 Broadway......$485

LOTS 108 and 109, map of Joel Wolfe estate; Maxwell C. Lewis to Ralph L. Sachs, 216 West 100th St, Dec. 30, due as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co, 176 Broadway..............$3,000

LOTS 20 and 21, Block 17; Lots 12, 20 to 23, Block 19; Lot 21, Block 20; Lots 26 to 30, Block 24; Lots 1, 10, 11, 14, 40 to 42, Block 25; Lots 2, 5, and 6, Block 28; Lots 1, 5, and 6, Block 33; Lots 11 to 40, Block 35; Lots 1 to 8, Block 39, map of Pelham Park; Lots 8 and 9, Block 25; William R. Nash to Walter W. Taylor, Mount Vernon, N. Y., Dec. 27, 3 years; attorneys, De La Mare & M., 140 Nassau St..............$27,000

LOTS 10 and 29, Block 16; Lot 2, Block 25, map of Pelham Park; William R. Nash to Walter W. Taylor, Mount Vernon, N. Y., Dec. 27, 3 years; attorneys, De La Mare & M., 140 Nassau St..............$1,200

MOTT AV, s e corner of 159th St, 100x irregular; John H. J. Ronner and others to Marion D. Risse, 590 Mott Av, 3 years; attorney, R. H. Bergman, 3,219 3d Av..$18,000

TINTON AV, 527, w s, 25x100; Josephine I. Charleton to Louis O. Van Doren, 299 Alexander Av, Nov. 26, due as per bond; address, 35 Nassau St..............$820

RECORDED LEASES.

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LEXINGTON AV, 495, all; Ferdinand T. Hopkins to George Day, 495 Lexington Av, 14 years, from Nov. 1, 1912..............$5,000

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MANHATTAN ST, 19, all; L. K. Ungrich to Otto Rupp, 39 Manhattan St, 5 years, from Nov. 1, 1912; attorneys, Fitch, M. & G., 32 Nassau St..............$2,700

MULBERRY ST, 127, store; Hester St, 182, store; Katie Pittelli to Joseph Russo, 5 Baxter St, 5 years, from Dec. 1, 1912; attorneys, Fitch, M. & G., 32 Nassau St..............$1,500

WILLIAMSBRIDGE ROAD, 1,424, all; Mary McGuri to Frederick J. Haas, 2,402 Butler Place, 5 years, from Nov. 1, 1911; attorneys, Fitch, M. & G., 32 Nassau St..............$780

6TH AV, 482, all; Philip J. Kearney to George J. Kehoe, Richmond Hill, L. I., 10 years, from May 1, 1912; attorneys, Fitch, M. & G., 32 Nassau St..............$7,000

7TH AV, 823, store and part basement; Bernhard Seymann to George W. Reynolds and another, 139 Manhattan Av, 3 years, from Jan. 1, 1913; attorney, W. H. Stewart, 1,639 3d Av..............$3,000

7TH AV, 360, two stores; Coleman Construction Co. to Edward Levinsohn, 544 East 86th St, 8 4-12 years, from Jan. 1, 1913; attorneys, Bernheimer & S., Amsterdam Av. and 128th St..............$6,000

8TH AV, 2,055, store, floor, and bake shop; Marvel Baking Co. to George Hinrichs, 2,055 8th Av, 10 years, from Dec. 1, 1912; attorney, Otto B. Schmidt, 55 Wall St..............$2,700

MECHANICS' LIENS.

BATHGATE AV, 2,325 and 2,327; Title Guarantee and Trust Company against John Berry, owner and contractor..............$80

FORDHAM ROAD, s e corner of Grand Boulevard and Concourse, 102x222x irregular; Contractors Equipment Company against John A. Kell and Kramer Contracting Company, owners; Borough Fire Proof Concreting Company, contractor..............$78

FREEMAN ST, n s, Longfellow Av to West Farms Road, 88x54x56; Joseph Shanske against Gatano Zingalero, owner; John Narro, contractor..............$43

HUGHES AV, w s, 40.11 ft n of Crescent Av, 56x87.6; Hudson Wood Working Company against European Construction Company and Angelo Di Bennedetto, owners and contractors..............$875

MARKET ST, 72; Raffaele Constantine against Morean Delano, owner; W. B. Reed, contractor; C. E. Wickham Co., sub-contractor..............$120

STEBBINS AV, 1,272 to 1,280; Lazarus Bergman against Stebbins Holding Company, owner and contractor..............$54

81ST ST, 203 to 211 West; Gurney Elevator Company against S. B. Construction Company, owner and contractor..............$1,300

81ST ST, 203 to 211 West; Charles Katz against S. B. Construction Company, owner and contractor..............$4,755

142D ST., 537 West; Jacob Armbrust against William Gamble, owner; Henry Roth, contractor, (renewal)..............$194

216TH ST, n s, 125 ft w of Laconia Av, 25x114; Angelo Geraci against Maria Pappile Dalo, owner and contractor; Domenico Dalo, contractor..............$1,763

216TH ST, n s, 125 ft w of Laconia Av, 25x109; National Plumbing Supply Company against Mario P. Dalo, owner; Angelo Geraci, contractor..............$122

SATISFIED MECHANICS' LIENS.

22D ST, 132 and 134 West; Louis Greenberg against Victoria Building and Contracting Company, Inc., and others, Dec. 13, 1912..$314

27TH ST, 10 to 14 East, and 26th St, 15 to 19 East; Sexauer & Lemke against Kroywen Realty Company and others, May 24, 1912, (conceled)..............$11,815

34TH ST, 11 West; Max Bicehner and others against R. S. S. Co. and others, July 21, 1912..............$80

SAME property; Partheymueller & Gloekler against Jane Harris and others; Aug. 21, 1912..............$220

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BROADWAY, n e corner of 162d St, 99.11x100; Samuel Heyman against Castleton Construction Co et al, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, M. Stern.

BROOME ST, 211; Eldon Bisbee against Joseph Price et al, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, C. E. Rushmore.

COLUMBUS AV, n e corner of 209th St, 99.11x100; Laurence D. Rumsey et al against Frances Keegan et al, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, Harris & Towne.

FAILE ST, 1,015; Julius Schwarzkopf against Blume Hess, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, J. Pawel.

HEATH AV, e s, — ft s of 230th St, 20.6x100.7; Annie E. King against Pouch Realty Co et al, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Kindelberger & Robinson.

LUDLOW ST, w s, 125.4 ft s of Stanton St, 25.1x87.6; Samuel Ershowsky against Stuyvesant F. Morris et al, (notice of application to register title;) attorneys, Reeves & Todd.

MAIDEN LANE, 126; Beekman St, n e s, adjoining lands of James B. and Walter B. Townsend, 66.8x irregular; Pearl St, 230 and 281; Duane St, 60; James W. Adams against Edward H. Stewart et al, (partition;) attorneys, Wood, Cooke & Seitz.

PARK AV, e s, 74 ft n of 109th St, 26.11x80; Agnes W. Evans against Maria Duggan et al, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, J. C. Danzilo.

WEST FARMS ROAD, North and West Sts, and Hoe St, e s, Lots 55, 59, 61, 62, 63, 64, and 65; Mary F. Martin against Alfred C. Bachman et al, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Arnstein, Levy & Pfeiffer.

34TH ST, 243 West; Christopher W. Mitchell against Rebecca Greacen, (action to establish trust;) attorneys, Appell & Taylor.

60TH ST, n s, 115 ft w of 2d Av, 20x100.5; Dry Dock Savings Institution against Katherine G. Farrell et al, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, F. M. Tichenor.

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170TH ST, n w corner of Crotona Av, 40.6x100.4; William F. A. Kurz against Woodson R. Ogelsby et al, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, J. F. Frees.

228TH ST, n s, 150.11 ft w of 5th St, 4.1x114.6; Charles D. Graff against William J. Koch et al, (action to recover possession;) attorney, J. F. Frees.

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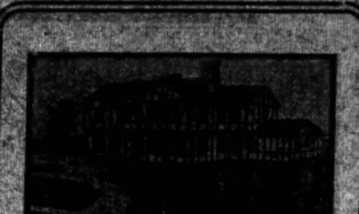

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Dated New York, December 26, 1912.

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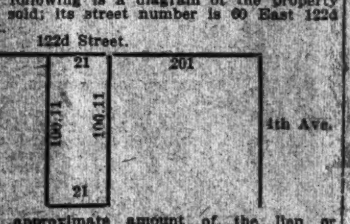

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WILLS FOR PROBATE.

DS, CHARLES A., (died Dec. 24;) left than $10,000 realty and more than $10,000; one diamond ring and plot in wood Cemetery to sister, Augusta D.; residue to widow, Jennie P. Childs.

COHEN, MARTHA WOLFF, (died Dec. 16;) more than $10,000 personalty; portrait to daughter, Katie Wolff; diamonds in equal to Katie and Rose Wolff, daughters, with rest of jewelry and household $25 to husband, Eli Cohen, (dead;) $50 to Mortimer, Lester, and Clarence Wolff, to buy some token in remembrance of exclude them from further participation in my estate, as they have grown to * * * and are now able to take of themselves"; residue in equal shares Katie and Rose Wolff.

HOPPER, ISAAC A., (died Dec. 21;) left than $10,000 personalty and more than realty; $10,000 to widow, Mary C. Hopper; residue in equal shares to his children, T. P. Hopper, Marguerite F. Hopper, T. Hopper, Walter F. Hopper, and B. Hopper.

LER, JOHN, (died Nov. 28;) left more personalty: $1,000 each to sister, Beach, and brothers, Charles A., A., and Joseph B. Keeler; $500 each to Mrs. Anna Beers Dunklin; $500 to be by five children of deceased nephew, Keeler: Anna Adams, Flossie, Harold, and Louise P. Keeler; $500 each to Franklin R. Ward, and niece, Eliza R. Ward; residue to daughters, Charlotte E. and Harriet L. Keeler.

McMULLEN, LUCY J., (died Dec. 18;) left personalty to her sister, Mrs. Katherine

NDER, PATRICK, (died Nov. 29;) left personalty to John E. Capleas, friend, two daughters and a son.

VAUPEL, MARY C., (died Dec. 5;) left than $25,000 realty and more than $500 to her son, Oscar H. Vaupel; son is over to Adam Vaupel, decedent's husband, all the profits from rents, &c., of this during husband's lifetime.

WHITNEY, GRACE, (died Nov. 26;) left personalty: $100 each to Kenneth T. How Catharine Baldwin, Frederick Van Buren, Catharine Bullinger; $300 to Ella A.

Chapman Art to be Sold Jan. 27.

In reproducing pictures of two of the treasures of the late Henry T. Chapman in the Pictorial Section of last Sunday's TIMES, it was stated that the sale of the Chapman collection "began last Friday." This was an error. The collection will be on exhibition, beginning Jan. 18; the sale will take place on Jan. 27, 28, and 29.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

FORM OF CONTRACT FOR NEW RAPID TRANSIT RAILROADS.

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon the proposed terms and conditions of a contract between the City of New York, acting by the Public Service Commission for the First District, and New York Municipal Railway Corporation, for the construction by the City and for the equipment, maintenance, and operation by said New York Municipal Railway Corporation of additional or proposed Rapid Transit Railroads hereinafter described in conjunction with certain existing Railroads will be held at the office of the Public Service Commission for the First District, No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 14th day of January, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Copies of the draft of said proposed contract may be obtained at the said office of the said Commission for one dollar each.

Such existing Railroads may briefly be described as follows:

Broadway Line: Beginning at or near the Broadway Ferry, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and thence extending over Broadway to East New York; thence over Fulton Street and Crescent Street to Jamaica Avenue.

Fulton Street Line: Beginning at Fulton Street and the East River in the Borough of Brooklyn and thence extending over Fulton Street, Snediker Avenue, Pitkin Avenue, Euclid Avenue, and Liberty Avenue to the borough line between the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Myrtle Avenue Line: Beginning in the Brooklyn terminal of the Brooklyn Bridge and thence extending over Sands Street, High Street, Adams Street and Myrtle Avenue to Wyckoff Avenue.

Lexington Avenue Line: Beginning at Grand and Myrtle Avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn, and thence extending over Grand Avenue and Lexington Avenue to Broadway.

Fifth Avenue Line: Beginning at Hudson and Myrtle Avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn and thence extending over Hudson Avenue, Flatbush Avenue, Fifth Avenue, 38th Street and Third Avenue to 67th Street.

Brighton Beach Line: Beginning at Franklin Avenue and Fulton Street in the Borough of Brooklyn, and thence extending substantially parallel with Franklin Avenue over private property and intersecting streets to Flatbush Avenue; thence over private property to Church Avenue between East 15th and East 16th Streets; thence over private property between East 15th and East 16th Streets to Sheepshead Bay; thence southerly over private property to Brighton Beach; thence westerly over private property to a point in Coney Island west of West 5th Street.

Canarsie Line: Beginning near Pitkin and Snediker Avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn and thence extending southerly over private property to Canarsie shore.

Sea Beach Line: Beginning in Fourth Avenue near 64th Street in the Borough of Brooklyn and thence extending over private property between 65th and 60th Streets to New Utrecht Avenue; thence easterly and southeasterly over private property to a point in Coney Island near Surf Avenue and Stillwell Avenue Extended.

Such additional or proposed Rapid Transit Railroads may briefly be described as follows:

A part beginning in the Queens Plaza of the Queensboro Bridge, and extending thence across the Queensboro Bridge to the Borough of Manhattan, and to and under the Manhattan Plaza of the Bridge where the tracks diverge, one track continuing under 59th Street and one track continuing under 60th Street to and across 5th Avenue, where the tracks converge; thence under 59th Street, Seventh Avenue and Broadway to a point near Canal Street.

Another part beginning in Broadway near Canal Street in the Borough of Manhattan, and extending thence under private property and Canal Street to and across the Manhattan Bridge to the Borough of Brooklyn; thence under Flatbush Avenue Extension to a point at or near Willoughby Street.

Another part beginning in Broadway near Canal Street in the Borough of Manhattan, and extending thence under Broadway, private property, Vesey Street, private property, Church Street, private property, Broadway and Whitehall Street to the East River.

Another part beginning in the Borough of Manhattan under the East River near the pierhead line and extending thence under waterfront property, South Street, Broad Street, Nassau Street and Park Row to the Municipal Building; thence under Centre Street to a point near Walker Street, where the line divides into two branches, one branch extending under private property, Walker Street, and Canal Street to the approach of the Manhattan Bridge, and the second branch extending under Centre Street, private property, and Delancey Street to and over the Williamsburg Bridge to a connection with the Broadway Line of the New York Consolidated Railroad Company in Broadway in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Another part beginning under the East River at or near Whitehall Street in the Borough of Manhattan; and extending thence under the East River and private property to the Borough of Brooklyn; thence under Montague Street, Court Street, public property, Fulton Street, private property, and Willoughby Street to Flatbush Avenue.

Another part beginning near Flatbush Avenue and Willoughby Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and extending thence under Flatbush Avenue Extension, private property and Fulton Street, to a point at or near Ashland Place, where the line divides into two branches, one branch extending under Ashland Place, private property, and Fourth Avenue, to a point at or near 38th Street; the second branch extending under Fulton Street, St. Felix Street, private property, and Flatbush Avenue to a point near Malbone Street.

Another part beginning in Fourth Avenue, near 38th Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and extending thence under Fourth Avenue to a point at or near 86th Street.

Another part beginning in Fourth Avenue, near 38th Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and extending thence through private property between 38th and 39th Streets and under intersecting streets to a point in private property near Tenth Avenue and 39th Street; where the line becomes an elevated railroad; thence over Tenth Avenue, New Utrecht Avenue, private property, and intersecting streets to 86th Street, thence over 86th Street, private property, Twenty-sixth Avenue, private property, and Stillwell Avenue to a point at or near Surf Avenue.

Another part beginning in private property near Ninth Avenue and 38th Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn; and extending thence through private property and Ninth and Tenth Avenues to a point in private property near 37th Street and Fort Hamilton Avenue, where the line becomes an elevated railroad; thence over private property and intersecting streets to West Street; thence over West Street, private property, Cortelyou Road, private property, Gravesend Avenue, Shell Road, West 6th Street and private property to Surf Avenue.

Another part beginning in 14th Street at or near Sixth Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, and extending thence under 14th Street and private property to and under the East River to the Borough of Brooklyn; thence under North 7th Street, Metropolitan Avenue, and Bushwick Avenue to a point near Johnson Avenue; thence under Johnson Avenue, private property, Bushwick Place, and private property to a point in private property near Johnson Avenue and Waterbury Street, where the line becomes an elevated railroad.

Another part, beginning in private property near Johnson Avenue and Waterbury Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn; and thence extending over Johnson Avenue, private property, and intersecting streets to Wyckoff Avenue; thence over Wyckoff Avenue, private property, and Cooper Avenue to the right of way of the Long Island Railroad; thence over private property wholly or partly within said right of way, crossing over intersecting streets, to a point near Conway Street and Broadway; thence over Broadway to a point at or near Rose Place.

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Mauretania Jan. 22, 1 A. M. Mar. 5 / Feb. 12, 1 A. M. Apr. 2

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Minne'ha..Jan. 4, 8 A. M. | Minne'nka.Jan. 18
Minn'ska.Jan.11,10:30AM | Minneapolis.Feb.1

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London, Paris via Dover—Antwerp.

Lapland.Jan. 2, 3 PM | Zeeland.......Jan. 15
Kroonland ...Jan. 8 | Finland.......Jan. 22

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*St. Paul.Jan.11, 9:30 AM | Majestic..Jan. 25

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Baltic..Jan. 23, noon | Baltic.........Feb. 20

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SHIPPING AND MAILS

Miniature Almanac for To-day.

Sun rises..7:24|Sun sets..4:42|Moon rises..12:38

THE TIDES.

	High Water. A.M.	High Water. P.M.	Low Water. A.M.	Low Water. P.M.
Sandy Hook	1:22	1:48	7:37	7:56
Governors Island	2:00	2:15	8:32	8:46
Hell Gate	3:50	4:05	10:07	10:21

Arrived—Monday, Dec. 30.

SS Minnehaha, London, Dec. 19.
SS Borinquen, San Juan, Dec. 24.
SS Volturno, Rotterdam, Dec. 12.
SS Allemania, Inagua, Dec. 26.
SS Vera, Port Antonio, Dec. 24.
SS Nacoochee, Savannah, Dec. 28.
SS Brazos, San Juan, Dec. 26.
SS Creole, New Orleans, Dec. 25.
SS El Mundo, Galveston, Dec. 24.
SS Manna Hata, Baltimore, Dec. 27.
SS Trifels, Philadelphia, Dec. 29.
SS Bordeaux, Havre, Dec. 12.
SS Huron, Jacksonville, Dec. —.
SS Jos. J. Cuneo, Port Antonio, Dec. 25.

Incoming Steamships.

DUE TO-DAY.

Touraine	Havre	Dec. 21
Wells City	Swansea	Dec. 10
Sibia	London	Dec. 10
Trignac	Dunkirk	Dec. 11
Michigan	Antwerp	Dec. 11
Annie	Algiers	Dec. 12
Paul Paix	Swansea	Dec. 13
Volturno	Rotterdam	Dec. 13
Pannonia	Gibraltar	Dec. 17
Bramley	Hamburg	Dec. 13
Dinnamare	Naples	Dec. 12
Georgic	Liverpool	Dec. 17
Hudson	Vigo	Dec. 18
Alberto Treves	Seville	Dec. 14
Buffalo	Hull	Dec. 15
Florizel	St. John's	Dec. 24
Montoso	Tampico	Dec. 21
Dakotan	Puerto Mexico	Dec. 23
Filomachi	Lisbon	Dec. 20
Gerty	Trieste	Dec. 13
Griqua	Algiers	Dec. 15
Havana	Havana	Dec. 28
Tivives	Port Limon	Dec. 25
Jose	Liverpool	Dec. 14
City of Montgomery	Savannah	Dec. 28

DUE TO-MORROW.

Kroonland	Antwerp	Dec. 21
Arcadian	Bermuda	Dec. 30
Potsdam	Rotterdam	Dec. 21
Olinda	Cardenas	Dec. 25
Prins Sigismund	Kingston	Dec. 26
Clyde	Kingston	Dec. 26
El Rio	Galveston	Dec. 25
Comal	Key West	Dec. 28
Mohawk	Jacksonville	Dec. 29

DUE THURSDAY.

Oceanic	Queenstown	Dec. 27
Advance	Colon	Dec. 26
Zacapa	Kingston	Dec. 28
Iroquois	Jacksonville	Dec. 30
El Rio	Galveston	Dec. 27
Neckar	Bremen	Dec. 21
Comus	New Orleans	Dec. 28

Outgoing Steamships.

SAIL TO-DAY.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Campania, Liverpool	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Algonquin, Turks Island	10:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Grenada, Trinidad	10:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Indian Prince, Argentina	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Frutera, Belize	7:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Honorius, Argentina	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Apache, Jacksonville	—	1:00 P.M.
Mendoza, Naples	—	11:00 A.M.
City of Atlanta, Savannah	—	3:00 P.M.
El Valle, Galveston	—	12:00 M.

SAIL TO-MORROW.

Metapan, Jamaica	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Almo, Nassau	11:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Huron, Jacksonville	—	1:00 P.M.
Alamo, Galveston	—	1:00 P.M.
Antilles, New Orleans	—	12:00 M.

SAIL THURSDAY.

Touraine, Havre	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Morro Castle, Havana	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Hellig Olav, Christiansand	—	2:00 P.M.
Allemania, Jamaica	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Lapland, Antwerp	—	10:00 A.M.
Luristan, Cardenas	—	12:00 M.
El Norte, Galveston	—	12:00 M.
City of Montgomery, Savannah	—	3:00 P.M.

Supplementary mails are open on the piers of the American, English, German, and French transatlantic lines, until within ten minutes of the hour of sailing at double postage rates.

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SS Pannonia, Naples to New York, was 264 miles E. at 9 A. M.; due 31st, 8:30 A. M. Cunard Line.

SS Kroonland, Antwerp to New York, was 607 miles E. at 8 A. M.; due Jan. 1, 8:30 A. M. Red Star Line.

SCOTLAND LIGHTSHIP.

SS Concho, Galveston to New York, was 165 miles S. at 8 P. M.

SS Comal, Mobile to New York, was 200 miles S. at 7 P. M.

SS Havana, Havana to New York, was 235 miles S. at 8 P. M.

SS City of Montgomery, Savannah to New York, was 90 miles S. at 6 P. M.

Foreign Ports.

Arrived.

SS Lusitania, at Fishguard, Dec. 30.
SS Buenos Aires, at Barcelona, Dec. 25.
SS Luciline, at Rouen, Dec. 27.
SS Bermudian, at Bermuda, Dec. 30.
SS Heiredale, at La Plata, Dec. 27.
SS Aros Castle, at Delagoa Bay, Dec. 2.
SS Marienfels, at Port Said, Dec. 30.
SS Sirius, at London, Dec. 30.
SS Cacique, at Valparaiso, Dec. 30.
SS Cowrie, at Colombo, Dec. 30.
SS Melderskin, at Punta Arenas, Dec. 30.

Sailed.

SS Rochambeau, from Havre, Dec. 28.
SS Arcadian, from Bermuda, Dec. 30.
SS Ambria, from Algiers, Dec. 21.
SS Cape Finisterre, from Cape Town, Dec. 26.
SS Emanuele Accame, from Valencia, Dec. 27.
SS Katuna, from St. Vincent, C. V., Dec. 28.
SS Principe di Piemonte, from Genoa, Dec. 29.
SS Uranium, from Rotterdam, Dec. 28.
SS Byron, from Barbados, Dec. 27.
SS Verdi, from Barbados, Dec. 28.
SS Highbury, from Barbados, Dec. 28.
SS Queen Margaret, from Glasgow, Dec. 28.
SS City of Baroda, from Malta, Dec. 29.
SS Korona, from St. Thomas, Dec. 29.
SS Pres. Grant, from Southampton, Dec. 30.

Passed.

SS Grangewood, New York for Copenhagen, passed Cape Wrath.
SS Grantley Hall, New York for Hamburg, passed Scilly.
SS Phoebus, New York for ——, passed Lizard.

Transpacific Mails.

These mails close in New York at 6:30 P. M.

Destination and Steamer.	Close in N. Y.
Hawaii, Japan, Korea, and China (via San Francisco)—Shinyo Maru	Dec. 30
Hawaii, Guam, and Philippine Islands (via San Francisco)—U. S. Transport	Jan. 1
Japan, Korea, and China (specially addressed only) (via Tacoma)—Chicago Maru	Jan. 2
Hawaii (via San Francisco)—Lurline	Jan. 2
Tahiti, Marquesas, Cook Islands, New Zealand, and Australia (specially addressed) (via San Francisco)—Manuka	Jan. 3
Hawaii, Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands (via San Francisco)—Siberia	Jan. 4
Hawaii, Samoan Islands, New Zealand, (except parcel post,) and Australia, (except West,) (via San Francisco)—Ventura	Jan. 8
Japan, Korea, and China (via Seattle)—Shidzuoka Maru	Jan. 9
Japan, Korea, and China (specially addressed only) (via Seattle)—Lord Derby	Jan. 12
Hawaii, Fiji Islands, Samoan Islands, New Zealand, and Australia (except West) (via Vancouver)—Marama	Jan. 17
Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands (via Vancouver)—Monteagle	Jan. 17

Pacific Mails.

Postmaster Morgan announces that mails of the following dates—Melbourne, Nov. 29; Sydney, Nov. 30; Auckland, Dec. 5, and Wellington, Dec. 6—which arrived at San Francisco per steamer Moana, were dispatched east at 6:40 P. M. Dec. 26. Due in New York to-day.

For Latest Shipping News See Page 1.

SURROGATE CITATION.

FRY, MARTHA ANN.—The People of the State of New York, by the grace of God free and independent, to Thomas Marshall Fry, Howard James Fry, Thomas Marshall Fry, Jr., Willard C. Fry and Thomas C. Fry, the husband and heirs and next of kin of Martha Ann Fry, late of the County of New York, deceased, send greeting:

Whereas, Thomas Marshall Fry, of the City of New York, has lately applied to the Surrogate's Court of our County of New York to have a certain instrument in writing, bearing date the eighth day of February, 1900, relating to both real and personal property, duly proved as the last will and testament of Martha Ann Fry, late of the County of New York, deceased; therefore you and each of you are cited to appear before the Surrogate of our County of New York, at his office, in the County of New York, on the 10th day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to attend the probate of the said last will and testament.

And such of you as are hereby cited as are under the age of twenty-one years are required to appear by your guardian, if you have one, or if you have none, to appear and apply for one to be appointed, or in the event of your neglect or failure to do so, a guardian will be appointed by the Surrogate to represent and act for you in the proceeding.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of the Surrogate's Court of the said County of New York to be hereunto affixed. Witness, Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of our said County of New York, at said county, the 18th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

[L. S.]

DANIEL J. DOWDNEY,
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

WILBER C. GOODALE,
Attorney for Petitioner,
34 Pine Street (Room 607), Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The storm that was over the Great Lakes on Sunday night is now over the St. Lawrence Valley and moving toward the Canadian Maritime Provinces. During the last twenty-four hours it caused general rains east of the Mississippi River, and high winds Monday afternoon on the Middle Atlantic and New England Coast. Another disturbance that is central over Minnesota has caused snows in the Northwest. Rains continue along the North Pacific Coast.

Temperatures continue above the seasonal average in all parts of the country, and there are no indications of unseasonable cold weather for the next several days in any part of the country.

Except for scattered snows in the region of the Great Lakes Tuesday and unsettled weather and probably rain in the Middle Atlantic and Southeastern States Wednesday, the weather will be generally fair during the next forty-eight hours in all parts of the country except the Northwest.

The rain conditions will continue on Tuesday and Wednesday in the sections indicated.

Temperatures will not change decidedly in any part of the country during the next forty-eight hours.

Winds along the New England Coast will be moderate to brisk southwest and west; Middle Atlantic Coast, moderate southwest; South Atlantic Coast, light, variable.

Steamships departing Tuesday for European ports will have brisk west winds and generally fair weather to the Grand Banks.

FORECASTS FOR TO-DAY AND WEDNESDAY.

Eastern New York—Cloudy Tuesday. Wednesday, unsettled; moderate southwest winds.

Southern New England—Fair and somewhat colder Tuesday. Wednesday, increasing cloudiness; moderate southwest winds.

New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania—Fair Tuesday. Wednesday, increasing cloudiness, probably followed by rains; moderate southwest winds.

Western New York—Cloudy Tuesday; probably local snows near the lakes. Wednesday, fair; brisk southwest and west winds.

Northern New England—Fair and somewhat colder Tuesday. Wednesday, unsettled; moderate north winds.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1911.	1912.		1911.	1912.
3 A. M.	26	43	4 P. M.	33	46
6 A. M.	26	40	6 P. M.	34	45
9 A. M.	27	40	9 P. M.	35	44
12 M.	31	51	11 P. M.	36	44

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 44; for the corresponding date last year it was 32; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 32.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 38; at 8 P. M. it was 44. Maximum temperature, 51 degrees at 12:30 P. M.; minimum, 38 degrees at 7 A. M. Humidity, 96 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 71 per cent. at 8 P. M.

The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 29.83 inches; at 8 P. M. it stood at 29.67 inches.

FIRE RECORD.

A. M.	Loss.
1:30—3,776 3d Av.; J. L. Craig	Trifling
2:05—1,427 Amsterdam Av.; E. Halper	Trifling
3:20—301 W. 123d St.; E. Bach	$5,000
9:45—2,330 Washington Av.; J. McNerrey	$50
11:10—5 Sheriff St.; L. Simon	Trifling
11:30—64 1st St.; A. Hangelman	Trifling
P. M.	
12:30—134 E. 17th St.; L. Herman	Slight
2:00—84 Avenue B; R. Cohen	$5,000
2:10—1,987 3d Av.; J. Dann	Trifling
3:30—540 E. 117th St.; J. Sokal	Trifling
6:05—968 Anderson Av.; Kemp, Jones & Co.	Not given
7:30—20 West 31st St.; not given	Trifling
8:00—118 East 104th St.; Max Lustig	Trifling
9:00—910 Amsterdam Av.; Charles Kohler	$500
9:40—632 Wales Av.; Pauline Kerness	Trifling

ESTATES APPRAISED.

BIDWELL, CLARA E., (died May 23;) net estate, $61,982.25; personalty, $64,183.41, including bank deposits, $2,010.85; furniture and silverware, $966.75; Chesapeake & Ohio first mortgage bonds, $3,322.50; St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railroad Company general consolidated bonds, $4,110; Evansville & Terre Haute Railroad bonds, $5,100; New York Gas and Electric Heat, Light and Power Company bonds, $3,560; Kansas, Clinton & Springfield Railroad Company bonds, $960; Current River Railway Company bonds, $5,000; Northern Pacific-Great Northern Railway bonds, $4,837.50; Distillers' Securities Corporation bonds, $4,725; Lackawanna Steel Company bonds, $6,615; Delaware & Hudson Company convertible debenture bonds, $6,868.75; Denver & Rio Grande Railroad Company first refunding bonds, $5,130; Kansas, Fort Scott & Memphis Railway refunding bonds, $4,740; Southern Pacific Company bonds, $2,842; Armour & Co. bonds, $3,670.

BULLWINKEL, CAROLINE F. A., (died Nov. 8, 1911;) net estate, $13,817.93; personalty, $6,697.82, mostly bank deposits; realty, $8,842, being equity in 1,670 Avenue A, appraised at $17,000, less mortgage of $8,158.

DAWSON, LUCIEN A., (died Aug. 13, 1910;) net New York estate, $5,170.04; New York personalty, $5,330, being 40 shares of American Telegraph and Telephone Company; entire estate, $71,695.39.

DOWNS, RINALDO J., (died April 4, 1911;) net estate, $13,602.48; personalty, $17,669.94, mostly notes.

ERICHS, HENRY W., (died June 3, 1911;) net estate, $123,191.50; personalty, $129,408.68, including bank deposits, $4,552.87; wearing apparel, $190; 2,497 shares in capital stock of H. W. Erichs, Inc., cigar boxmakers, of 319 East Eleventh Street, $124,665.81.

HINES, ANNA M., (died April 22, 1911;) net New York estate, $11,850.65; New York personalty, $12,500, including 90 shares of Mattson Rubber Company, $11,250; 10 shares Mattson Rubber Company preferred, $1,250.

HONISCH, MAURICE HENRY, (died April 17, 1910;) net estate, $9,441.95; personalty, $9,351.02, mostly bank deposits; realty, $1,200, being property at New Rochelle.

PARKIN, MARY W., (died Oct. 15, 1911;) net estate, $163,903.30; personalty, $171,208.40, including bank deposits, $10,379.57; mortgage, $2,055; four Ann Arbor Railroad Company bonds, $3,200; two Ogdensburg & Lake Champlain Railway Company bonds, $1,720; one New Amsterdam Gas Company bond, $1,005; one Wabash Railroad Company bond, $1,075; four Missouri, Kansas & Washington Railway Company bond, $4,310; two St. Croix Power Company bonds, $2,000; one Norfolk & Western Railway Company first consolidated, $987.50; three Reading coupon and Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron Company bonds, $2,943.75; two New Jersey Zinc Company bonds, $1,840; one Erie Railroad bond, $755; three New York Central equipment trust of 1907 certificates, $3,405; Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad bond, $997.50; one South Bend Fuel and Gas Company bond, $980; three Central of Georgia Railway Company bonds, $3,247.50; three Delaware & Hudson Company bonds, $2,932.50; two Texas & Pacific Railway Company bonds, $2,210; one Grand Rapids Railway Company bond, $990; one Southern Pacific bond, $457.50; two Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railroad Company bonds, $2,175; one Portsmouth & Suffolk Water Company bond, $1,000; two Wisconsin Central Railway Company bonds, $1,850; one Erie Railroad Company prior lien gold bond, $881.25; one Union Pacific Railroad Company bond, $1,021.25; two Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company first consolidated bonds, $1,920; two American Smelters Company sinking fund bonds, $2,052.50; three Albany & Susquehanna Railroad Company bonds, $2,730; six shares Watervliet National Bank, $750; two shares Mutual National Bank of Troy, $200; eight shares United National Bank of Troy, $2,400; twenty shares Fourth National Bank, $4,100; fifty shares American Smelting and Refining Company, $5,050; twenty shares Southern Pacific Company, $2,180; thirty-five shares Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company, $3,622.50; sixty-five shares Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, $6,727.50; thirty-three shares Chicago & Northwestern Railway, $4,785; forty-two shares New York Central, $4,410; twenty shares Baltimore & Ohio, $1,760; ten shares Baltimore & Ohio preferred, $880; fifteen shares People's Gas Light and Coke Company, $1,605; fifty shares Union Pacific Railroad, $4,650; sixty-eight shares Delaware & Hudson Company, $11,107; thirty shares Manhattan Railway Company, $4,020; twenty shares Erie preferred, $1,010; twenty shares United States Steel, $2,197.50; forty shares Illinois Central Railroad, leased line, $3,600; fifteen shares National Lead Company preferred, $1,593.75; ten shares New York, Lackawanna & Western, $1,200; forty shares Reading Company first preferred, $1,820; twenty shares Detroit, Hillsdale & Southwestern Railway Company, $1,900; twenty-six shares Rensselaer & Saratoga Railroad, $4,810; fifty shares American Coal Company, $1,000; three shares Troy & Bennington Railroad, $1,600; twenty shares Western Union Telegraph Company, $1,585; 150 shares Pennsylvania Railroad, $8,187.50; twenty-two shares New Jersey Zinc Company, $8,690; six shares Bethlehem Steel Company, $169.50; four shares Bethlehem Steel Company preferred, $224; thirty-two shares Consolidated Gas Company, $4,460; forty-two shares Troy & Greenbush Railroad, $3,475; four shares Saratoga & Schenectady Railroad, $660; jewelry, silverware, and furniture, $854.85.

SCHAEFER, JOHN HENRY, (died Aug. 3, 1912;) net estate, $55,735.97; personalty, $45,956.53, including bank deposits, $10,730.98, bonds and mortgages, $35,125.15, personal effects, $100; realty, $12,000, being equity in half interest in 513 East Eleventh Street, $12,000.

VAN BERGEN, ANTHONY, (died Feb. 18;) supplemental report; previous report that decedent died a resident of Paris, confirmed.

WILLIAMS, HARRIET, (died April 28, 1911;) net estate, $44,470.12; personalty, $47,181.70, including bank deposits, $385.62; 500 shares capital stock Zinck Sand and Gold Recovery Company, $500; undivided one-third interest in estate of father, T. W. Williams of New London, Conn., [illegible]

WOODBURY, [illegible] (died May 14, 1907;) net New York estate, [illegible] New York personalty, [illegible] Tel. & Tel. [illegible]

EDUCATION NOTES.

The Board of Education will hold its next meeting on Jan. 8.

It has been decided to issue $238,550 of corporate stock for the construction and equipment of a new building for Public School 100, West Third Street, near Park Place, Brooklyn.

Certain parts of the premises 1,253-1,255 Ogden Avenue, the Bronx, will be leased as an annex to Public School 11, 169th Street and Ogden Avenue, High Bridge.

The Morris High School Alumni Association will hold its regular annual meeting in the auditorium of the school, 166th Street and Boston Road, on Jan. 3.

Some time ago the Board of Education decided to employ two physicians to examine mentally defective children in the public schools. It requested the Municipal Civil Service Commission to amend the classification of non-competitive positions to include these two physicians. The commission decided it had no jurisdiction over the two physicians, as the duties they would be called upon to perform put them in the teaching class. The board next asked the Corporation Counsel for his opinion, and he replied the physicians could not be classified as teachers. The board therefore again has requested the Civil Service Commission to amend the classification of non-competitive positions so as to include therein the two physicians.

The Board of Trustees of the Normal College has amended its by-laws in the following respects:

"Professors—The minimum salary paid to men Professors shall be $4,000 per annum, with an increment of $250 per annum until the maximum of $6,000 shall be reached; an increase above $4,750 shall be allowed only after vote by the Executive Committee. The minimum salary paid to women Professors shall be $3,000 per annum, with an increment of $250 per annum until the maximum of $5,000 shall be reached; an increase above $4,000 shall be allowed only after vote by the Executive Committee.

"Associate Professors and Registrar.—The minimum salary paid to associate Professors and to the registrar shall be $2,750 per annum, with an increment of $150 per annum until the maximum of $3,500 shall be reached.

"Assistant Professors and Instructors—The maximum salary paid to assistant Professors and instructors shall be $1,100, the maximum $3,200. The rate of annual increase for the first five years shall be $110, for the succeeding seven years $210, and for the last two years $130.

"The minimum salary for assistant instructors shall be $900 per annum, the maximum $2,650. The rate of annual increase after the first year shall be $100 for two years, $200 for one year (the fourth,) and thereafter $130 per annum.

"Heads of Department—The minimum salary shall be $1,100 per annum, the maximum $3,150. The rate of annual increase for five years shall be $116 and thereafter $210.

"Tutors—Tutors shall be paid in accordance with the schedule applicable to assistant instructors.

"Laboratory Assistants—The minimum salary shall be $900 per annum, the maximum $1,400, and the rate of annual increase $50.

"Principal of the Model School or Training Department—The minimum salary shall be $2,300 per annum, the maximum $3,500, and the rate of annual increase $240.

"Model and Critic Teachers—The minimum salary shall be $1,050 per annum, the maximum $1,850, and the rate of annual increase $80.

"Head of the School for Kindergartners—The head of the School for Kindergartners shall be paid in accordance with the schedule applicable to assistant Professors and instructors."

The annual increase called for by these changes amounts to about $70,000. In advancing a member of the teaching staff from one schedule to another the salary of said member shall not be reduced.

POLICE AND FIRE NEWS.

Police Department.

SPECIAL ORDERS 306.

Transfer—To take effect 4 P. M., Jan. 1: Patrolman D. F. McClunn, 149th to Detective Division, designated as Acting Detective Sergeant, second grade.

Assignments, (temporary)—Sergeant George Ellis, Harbor B to Telegraph Bureau, 5 days, from 8 A. M., Dec. 29. Mounted Patrolman C. Johansmeyer, 65th to Detective Division, 5 days, from noon, Dec. 28.

Suspended—Patrolman Carl W. Kotschau, 15th, to take effect 9:23 A. M., Dec. 28.

Resignation—Probationary Patrolman Michael A. Rice, 22d, to take effect 12 P. M., Dec. 28.

Reappointed as Special Patrolman—Charles P. O'Hara, New York Foundling Hospital, Dec. 24.

Fire Department.

SPECIAL ORDERS 218.

Appointment—Max Cohen, Chief Examiner, Bureau of Prevention, on three months' probation, to take effect 9 A. M., Jan. 1.

Compensation designated to take effect 9 A. M., Jan. 1—Clerk J. R. Keefe, Division of Audit and Accounts, $3,600 per annum, (transferred to the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.) Clerk G. A. Perley, office of the Commissioner, $2,700. Messenger T. P. Donovan, office of the Deputy Commissioner, Brooklyn, $1,500. Messenger J. Brower, office of Commissioner, $1,500. Upholsterer D. D. Daly, Repair Shops, $4.50 per diem. Stenographer J. E. Ray, Bureau of Chief of Department, $1,800 per annum. Clerks C. J. Sheeran and J. J. Gaffney, Repair Shops, $1,650, (with transfer to payroll Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.) Clerk T. J. Beliakoff, Bureau of Prevention, $1,050, (transfer to payroll of Audit and Accounts.)

Transfers—Machinist's Helper F. F. Noe, Repair Shops, Brooklyn, to position of Rubber Tire Repairer, to take effect at 8 A. M., Jan. 1.

Notice—The time for forwarding property returns of 1912 to the Division of Requisition and Property Accountability is extended until Jan. 31.

Dropped from the rolls—Temporary Stenographer Harriet Singer, Bureau of Prevention, and Temporary Clerk M. Monahan, Repair Shops, Brooklyn, from 5 P. M., Dec. 31.

Resignation—Probationary Fireman Theodore L. Beer, Engine 18, to take effect at 8 A. M., Jan. 1.

Special leave of absence, without pay—Fireman, first grade, Charles A. Lulves of Engine 59, on account of illness, six months, from Jan. 1, and Laborer J. E. McDougall, office of Deputy Commissioner, Brooklyn, from Jan. 1 to May 1, on account of illness.

Transfers to conform with the budget appropriation, to take effect Jan. 1, 1913: To payroll, office of Commissioner—Stenographer P. J. Griffin, from Division of Fire Marshal. Clerk Catherine G. McAvey, Bureau of Repairs and Supplies. Clerk D. D. Gallagher, from Bureau of Prevention.

Transfers to Payroll, Headquarters Building—Watchmen C. Vanderburgh and A. F. Hazen, from Bureau of Prevention; Janitor M. J. Wilkinson, from Bureau of Prevention.

Transfers to Payroll, Bureau of Repairs and Supplies—Clerk L. Grubin, from Bureau Chief of Department, (detailed to Third Street shops;) Clerk Mary B. Starck, from Division of Audit and Accounts; Clerk J. I. Norris, from Division of Audit and Accounts; Clerk J. A. Kavanaugh, from Division of Audit and Accounts; Bookkeeper E. Winter, from Division of Audit and Accounts; Stenographer W. J. Collins, from office of Commissioner, and J. T. Koenig, from office of Chief.

Transferred to Repair Shops—Chief of Construction and Repairs of Apparatus C. S. Demarest, from Bureau of Chief of Department.

Transferred to Hospital and Training Stables—Examiner of Accounts H. J. Treacy, from Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

Transferred to Bureau of Prevention, Administration—Clerk W. C. Bennett, from office of Commissioner; Clerk L. A. Greenberg, from Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

Transferred to Bureau of Prevention, Division of Fire Marshall—Assistant Fire Marshals H. W. de Malignon and T. B. McGuire, from Bureau of Prevention, Administration; Assistant Fire Marshal F. J. Melvin, from Bureau of Prevention, Administration.

Transferred to Bureau of Prevention, Division of Fire Marshal, Brooklyn—Assistant Fire Marshal I. Speilberg, J. Wheland, and E. J. Shields, from Bureau of Prevention, Administration; Clerk A. N. Flamm, from Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

Transferred ot Repair Shops, Brooklyn—Clerk J. Deaken, from Division of Fire Marshal, Brooklyn; Clerk A. J. Boyd, from repair shops, Manhattan; Stenographer P. J. Shiels, from the office of Chief; Auto Engineman J. P. Haste, from office of Deputy Commissioner, Brooklyn.

Transferred to Telegraph Bureau—Draughtsman S. Samkin, from office of Chief.

Transferred to Bureau of Chief—Clerk: T. F. Aram; stenographer: S. E. Hooey; draughtsman: J. M. Story, from Bureau of Prevention, Administration.

Transferred from Bureau of Prevention, (all Boroughs,) to Bureau of Prevention, Administration, (Brooklyn)—Administration: W. H. Swartout, Deputy Chief; J. O'Malley, Inspector; J. D. Antonio, stenographer and typewriter. Inspection: J. F. Feenan, Inspector; E. R. Miller, Inspector; T. E. Fitzgerald, Inspector; W. L. Tennant, Inspector; J. H. Lyman, Inspector; E. J. Schell, Inspector; J. F. Dennin, Inspector; J. Dunn, Inspector; E. J. McMahon, Inspector; W. J. Rush, Inspector; C. P. Haesloop, Inspector; J. J. O'Grady, Inspector; W. J. Brown, Inspector; P. A. Boesch, Inspector; D. J. Spellacy, Inspector; D. J. Lynch, Jr., Inspector; J. F. Larkin, Inspector; J. H. Tracy, Inspector; T. J. McHale, Inspector; H. C. Kranz, Inspector; E. P. Reehil, Inspector; L. G. Grant, Inspector; A. Gompers, Inspector; F. Tonjes, Inspector; G. J. Werner, Inspector; T. F. McWhorter, Inspector.

Revocation—XVIII. So much of Paragraph 3, Special Orders 214, as relates to the appointment of John McKiernan, Engine 13, as uniformed fireman, he having declined.

Notice.—A new series of requisition numbers beginning with No. 1 will be commenced in 1913 by Company Commanders. This number should be placed in the upper left-hand corner and referred to whenever inquiry is made.

Special leaves of absence, without pay—Fireman (first grade) R. Louchs, Engine 123, 60 hours, from 8 P. M., Dec. 29, 1912; Engineer of Steamer C. Nugent, Engine 207, 12 hours, from 8 P. M., Dec. 31; Fireman (first grade) C. W. Velzer, Engine 207, 12 hours, from 8 P. M., Dec. 31; Probationary Fireman T. L. Beer, Engine 18, 5 days, from 8 A. M., Dec. 27; Fireman (third grade) H. C. Biedermann, H. & L. 16, 24 hours, from 8 A. M., Jan. 1; Fireman (first grade) E. P. Murtha, Engine 53, 24 hours, from 8 A. M., Jan. 1; Fireman (first grade) W. J. Hayes, No. 2, Engine 207, 24 hours, from 8 A. M., Jan. 1; Fireman (first grade) J. J. Robertson, Engine 129, 12 hours, from 8 P. M., Jan. 1; Fireman (first grade) C. F. Hildebrandt, H. & L. 38, 24 hours, from 8 A. M., Dec. 31; Fireman (third grade) M. Bernardini, Hose 7, 24 hours, from 8 A. M., Jan. 1; Fireman (second grade) H. A. McAvoy, Engine 31, 12 hours, from 8 P. M., Dec. 31; [illegible] (first grade) A. E. Guinness, H. & L. 76, 36 hours, from midnight, Dec. 28; Fireman (first grade) P. Murphy, No. 2, Engine 131, 12 hours, from 8 P. M., Dec. 31; Fireman (first grade) A. J. Loosen, Engine 155, 12 hours, from 8 P. M., Dec. 31; Fireman (third grade) W. Levy, Engine 135, 12 hours, from 8 A. M., Dec. 31.

THE CIVIL SERVICE.

City.

The Municipal Civil Service Commission has approved the following:

Report of Chief Examiner Ireland relative to the request of the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for approval of the appointment of Dr. K. D. Bryson as micro-photographer in pathological laboratory, that there does not seem to be any appropriate list for that position.

Report relative to the request of the Public Works Commissioner, Manhattan, that the names of William F. Campbell and Bernard F. Plunkett be certified for appointment as Inspector of Public Works, second grade, at $1,200 a year. The report recommends that the promotion list for third grade Inspector of Public Works, on which the names of Campbell and Plunkett appear as No. 25 and 26, be certified to and including their names as an appropriate list from which certification may be made for promotion to second grade Inspector, and that when this has been done the Public Works Commissioner may inform the Municipal Civil Service Commission as to the disposition of the names which appear ahead of the two mentioned.

The following have been restored to the eligible lists indicated:

John McNamara, 77 Bodine Street, clerk, second grade, for temporary appointment; he says that he was out of town and did not get the notice sent to him by the Board of Elections.

Bernard D. Cohen, 188 Crystal Street, Brooklyn, junior mechanical draughtsman; he says that he was ill and unable to leave his home when certified to the Department of Water Supply, Gas, and Electricity.

Henry J. Steers, 1,469 Bergen Street, Brooklyn, attendant; he says that he replied to notice sent him by the Docks Department; it was reported that he failed to respond.

William B. Woods, 2,465 Broadway, bookkeeper, third grade; record shows that his declination of appointment, on account of temporary inability was approved Dec. 4, 1912; he says that he was engaged upon other work at that time, but is ready now to accept appointment.

Sadie Hecht, 144 West 141st Street, laboratory assistant; she says that she was out of the city when notified by the Department of Health; it was reported that she could not be found by the Post Office authorities.

The following requisitions have been approved:

From the Law Department for an eligible list from which to appoint one first grade clerk at $300 a year; certification of fifteen names approved.

From the Board of Estimate for the certification of additional names from which to appoint one first grade clerk at $300 a year; certification of fifteen names approved.

From the Controller for the certification of additional names from which to appoint four second grade clerks at $600 a year; certification of fifteen names approved.

United States.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination, for men only, on Jan. 8 and 9, at the New York Custom House, to fill a vacancy in the position of interpreter of Polish, Lettish, and Lithuanian, at $1,200 a year, in the immigration service at Ellis Island, N. Y. It is desired to obtain persons qualified in all the above-named languages to fill the vacancy in the position for which this examination is held, but persons who qualify in a smaller number of the languages will have their names entered on the register for consideration in connection with other vacancies in the service as they may occur. The language tests will be given on the first day and the remaining subjects on the second day. The tests in each language will consist of conversation, reading from printed matter, and writing. These three tests will be given equal weight in determining the rating in the language. The examiner will converse with the competitor in each of the above languages which the competitor desires to take, and if the competitor speaks the language with sufficient readiness to meet the needs of the service he will get a rating of 70 per cent, or over in the conversation test. If he does not meet this test satisfactorily no further tests in that language will be given him, and if the average rating in the conversational, reading, and writing tests in the language is less than 70 he will not be eligible in that language. If the competitor does not attain an eligible average in the tests in at least one of the foreign languages he will not be examined on the remaining subjects of the examination. The reading test will consist in reading aloud to the examiner a passage of about 200 words in the foreign language. The writing test will consist of the translation of an exercise of not more than 150 words from English into the foreign language, and an exercise of similar length from the foreign language into English. Competitors will be examined in the following subjects, which will have the relative weights indicated:

Language, 50; spelling, twenty words of average difficulty in common use, 10; arithmetic, simple tests in addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division of whole numbers, common and decimal fractions, and United States money, 10; letter writing, a letter of not less than 125 words on some subject of general interest, (competitors may select either of two subjects given,) 10; penmanship, the legibility, rapidity, neatness, general appearance, &c., of the competitor's handwriting in the subject of copying from plain copy, 10, and copying from plain copy, a simple test in copying accurately, in the competitor's handwriting, a few printed lines, 10.

Applicants must indicate, in answer to Question 1 of application Form 304, in which of the above-named languages they desire to be examined. Age, 18 years or over on the date of the examination, which is open to all male persons who are citizens of or owe allegiance to the United States, and who meet the requirements.

THE UNITED SERVICE.

Special to The New York Times.

The Army.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Capt. C. C. Burt, Quartermaster Corps, relieved from temporary detail in Army Transport Service and will return to station in Manila.

Lieut. Col. E. B. Babbitt, Ordnance Department, detailed as member of Board for Testing Rifled Cannon, vice Col. Frank Baker, Ordnance Department, hereby relieved.

Orders of Sept. 18, directing Capt. J. M. Loud, Eighth Infantry, to join his regiment in Philippines, is revoked.

Major J. A. Dapray, U. S. A., relieved from detail at Peacock Military College, San Antonio.

First Lieut. C. J. Naylor, Fourth Cavalry, relieved from temporary duty at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., and proceed to Oklahoma, Okla., and enter recruiting duty, relieving First Lieut. H. I. Lawrance.

Capt. G. L. Hicks, Jr., Coast Artillery Corps, detailed as member of examining board at Fort Washington, Md., vice Capt. F. W. Ralston, Coast Artillery.

Capt. R. B. McBride, Quartermaster Corps, to Fort Monroe, Va., on official business, and return to proper station.

First Lieut. R. C. Harrison, from 68th to 158th Company Coast Artillery.

First Lieut. V. E. Clark, from 158th to 68th Company.

Following officers of Medical Corps detailed to enter army field service and correspondence school for medical officers, Fort Leavenworth, Kan., April 1: Majors H. Page, E. R. Schreiner, D. F. Duval, W. W. Reno, H. D. Bloombergh, J. F. Hall, W. H. Wilson, T. J. Kirkpatrick, H. Page, B. K. Ashford, W. P. Chamberlain, A. E. Truby, J. H. Ford, L. T. Hess, C. C. Collins, B. J. Eger, Jr., S. M. Waterhouse, E. H. Hartnett, C. E. Marrow, M. A. W. Shockley, S. H. Wadhams, C. P. Robbins, W. J. L. Lyster, E. F. Geddings, A. W. Morse, F. C. Baker, C. R. Reynolds, P. C. Hutton, F. A. Dale, J. R. Snook, F. T. Woodbury, H. H. Rutherford, J. A. Murtagh.

Leaves—Capt. J. R. Goodale, U. S. A., retired, recruiting officer, granted 21 days; Col. G. H. G. Gale, Cavalry, leave extended 15 days; Capt. A. Hasbrouck, Coast Artillery, leave extended two months; First Lieut. H. I. Lawrance, Infantry, granted three months; First Lieut. M. L. Love, Eleventh Cavalry, leave extended one month.

The Navy.

Lieut. J. Downes, detached navy yard, Washington, D. C., to aid on staff Rear Admiral F. E. Beatty.

Lieut. G. E. Davis, detached the South Dakota, to the Colorado.

Lieut. F. Russell, detached aid on staff, commander First Division, Atlantic Fleet, to home, wait orders.

Lieut. R. L. Stover, detached the Vicksburg, to home, wait orders.

Ensign G. A. Smith, detached the Baltimore, to the Jouett.

Passed Assistant Surgeon I. S. K. Reeves, Jr., detached the Iowa, to the Tacoma.

Passed Assistant Surgeon J. B. Kaufmann, detached the Tacoma, to continue treatment Naval Hospital, Boston.

Movements of Naval Vessels.

Arrived—Petrel, at Monte Christi; Warrington, at Norfolk; Brutus, at Smyrna; Arkansas, at Key West, and Vulcan, at Monte Christi.

Sailed—Prairie, from Cristobal for Guantanamo; Sterling, from Annapolis for Sewell Point; Henley, from Boston for Newport; Potomac, from Norfolk for Washington; Lebanon, from Norfolk for Iona Island; Ontario, from Newport for Guantanamo; Wyoming, from navy yard, New York, for Hampton Roads; Delaware, from Key West for navy yard, New York.

PIANOS AND ORGANS.

WINTERROTH PIANOS

105 East 14th St. & 14 West 125th St.
Bronx Store: 482 Tremont Ave.
Exceptional Holiday Bargains.
New Pianos from $150 upwards. $5 monthly.
Chickering Grand, was $[illegible] now $[illegible]
Winterroth Upright, [illegible]
Player Piano [illegible]

MASTER'S SALE.

CHANCERY SALE.—In pursuance and by virtue of amended decrees of foreclosure and sale in favor of THE NEW YORK TRUST COMPANY, complainant, made and entered by the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Michigan, Southern Division, and of the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Ohio, Western Division, and of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Ohio, Eastern Division, which amended decrees were dated on the 9th day December, A. D. 1912, and entered in said Eastern District of Michigan, Southern Division, December 9th, 1912, in said Northern District of Ohio, Western Division, December 12th, 1912, and in said Southern District of Ohio, Eastern Division, December 12, 1912, in causes pending in said respective courts, and entitled: The New York Trust Company, Complainant, vs. Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company et al., Defendants, Columbia Knickerbocker Trust Company, Complainant, vs. Detroit Toledo & Ironton Railway Company, Defendant; William J. Courtney et al., Complainants, vs. Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company, Defendant; (Consolidated Cause. In Equity); the causes pending in the said Districts of Ohio being ancillary to the cause pending in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Michigan, Southern Division; NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Special Master Commissioner of said courts, will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidders on WEDNESDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1913, at twelve o'clock noon, standard time, of said day, at the Station of the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company, in the city of Springfield, in the State of Ohio, being on the property described to be sold, all the properties by the said decrees directed to be sold, to wit:

ALL the properties by the said decrees declared to be covered by the General Lien and Divisional First Mortgage from the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company to The New York Trust Company, dated May 2, 1905, and by the said decrees directed to be sold, being

First—All the property which in the said General Lien and Divisional First Mortgage was described as follows—namely:

"All and singular the following described railroads situated in the States of Michigan and Ohio, to wit:

1st—The line of railroad formerly owned by the Detroit Southern Railroad Company and previously owned by the Ohio Southern Railroad Company, The Lima Northern Railway Company and the Detroit and Lima Northern Railway Company, comprising all and singular the line of railroad from the City of Detroit, Wayne County, State of Michigan, through the Counties of Wayne, Monroe and Lenawee, in the State of Michigan, and through the Counties of Fulton, Henry, Putnam, Allen, Auglaize, Shelby, Logan, Champagne, Clarke, Madison, Fayette, Highland, Ross, Pike, Jackson, Gallia and Lawrence, in the State of Ohio, to the Village of Rockwood in said Lawrence County, and all branches, additions and extensions thereof, including the branch or branches extending from said main line at Jeffersonville, Fayette County, northeastwardly through Fayette and Madison Counties to Sedalia, and from said Jeffersonville, southwestwardly through Fayette, Greene and Clinton Counties to Kingman, all in said State of Ohio.

2nd—Also all that parcel of land in River Rouge, Ecorse Township, Wayne County, Michigan, being a portion of Private Claim 45, described as follows: Beginning at the point where the boundary line between the lands of the Solvay Process Company and those formerly owned by the River Rouge Improvement Company (which line is marked by three monuments, one near the border of the River Rouge, one upon the edge of the right of way of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company, formerly the Detroit Southern Railroad Company, and one near the bank of the Detroit River) is intersected by the southerly line of the property conveyed for railroad purposes to the Detroit and Lima Northern Railway by the Solvay Process Company by deed dated February 20, 1900, recorded in Liber 512 of Deeds, page 449, Wayne County Records; thence northerly along said boundary line 30 feet; thence southwesterly at right angles to said boundary line along the southerly line of the right of way of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company, formerly the Detroit Southern Railroad Company, 405 feet to a point in the Short Cut Canal of the River Rouge Improvement Company, which point is in a line drawn parallel to and 30 feet distant northerly from the dock line as now established on the southerly side of said canal near its easterly end; thence southerly at an angle of 87 degrees 58 minutes to the left or southerly about 2,030 feet to the point where said line intersects the harbor line of the Detroit River as now established by the United States; thence at an angle of 112 degrees 33 minutes to the left or upstream 1,318 feet to a point; thence to the left or northerly at an angle of 67 degrees 27 minutes 1,015 feet to a point; thence at an angle of 12 degrees to the right or north 384 feet to a point; thence at an angle of about 26 degrees 15 minutes to the right or north about 495 feet to a point in the southerly line of the right of way of said Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company, formerly the Detroit Southern Railroad Company, which point is opposite to and 66 feet distant measured along the radius through Station now or formerly 544 of the centre line of the track of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company, formerly the Detroit Southern Railroad Company, from the point of compound curve of a 2 degree curve to the left, which last point is in the north line of said right of way; thence along the southeasterly line of said right of way to the place of beginning. Also, so much of the land beneath the waters of the canal aforesaid as is included by the said lines of the right of way of said Railway Company if extended across said canal, and by the line in said canal which forms the southwesterly boundary of the land aforesaid, containing 51.67 acres, more or less, including all land lying between the right of way and bridge of said canal of said Railroad Company as now located, the harbor line of the Detroit River, the line aforesaid in the Short Cut Canal, and the northeasterly boundary line heretofore described, together with the hereditaments, appurtenances and riparian rights thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, subject only to the exceptions, restrictions and conditions contained in the deed of said property, dated February 20, 1902, between the Solvay Process Company of Solvay, New York, and the Detroit Southern Railroad Company, recorded in Liber 537 of Deeds, page 609, of Wayne County, Michigan, said property having been acquired for and become an appurtenance of the railroad and property first above described, and being now used as such.

3rd—Also all and singular the right of way and line of railroad formerly of the Iron Railway Company, extending from the Ohio River, in Upper Township, Lawrence County, Ohio, to the south line of Jackson County, Ohio, including its lines from Ironton to Centre Station, from Ironton to Sarah Furnace, from Aetna Station to Ellisonville, and the Bartels branches and other spurs, branches and feed tracks appurtenant and belonging to said property, all in said Lawrence County, Ohio, and also the branch of said railway now completed from a point in its main line at or near Lawrence Station, in said Lawrence County, through said county into and through the County of Scioto, into and through the County of Jackson to a connection with the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company at or near Jackson, all in Ohio, using in part for such connection the tracks of the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company by virtue of a certain lease or agreement with said company, and all other property formerly belonging to said Iron Railway Company or now owned and used in connection therewith, together with all and singular the property of every kind and description now owned and used in connection with said railroad, and all and singular the powers, franchises, rights, privileges and immunities belonging thereto.

4th—All of the following classes of property now owned or held by the Railway Company, or hereafter acquired by it or its successors from the unexpended balance of cash remaining as hereinbefore recited, and appertaining to any of the said railroads or properties described above in paragraphs first and third, inclusive:

All the road bed, rights of way, station grounds, railroad yards, terminal grounds, and all other lands, lands under water, docks, wharves and riparian rights, all tracks, spurs, branches, side tracks, bridges, viaducts, docks, culverts, fences, depot, station houses, elevators, warehouses, engine houses, car houses, coal houses, wood houses, machine shops, and other shops and all other buildings or structures.

All locomotives, tenders, cars, and other rolling stock and equipment of every kind.

All tools, implements, machinery, wood, coal, oil, fuel, and other supplies.

All the privileges and franchises connected with or relating to any of said railroads, or to the construction, maintenance, use or operation thereof, whether now held by the Railway Company or hereafter acquired by it or its successors as aforesaid; and all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances to the said premises belonging.

Also all the rents, issues, profits, tolls, and other incomes of all the property which shall from time to time be subject to this indenture.

And, also, all the estate, right, title, interest, property, claim, possession, and demand whatsoever as well in law as in equity which the Railway Company may now have or it or its successors may hereafter acquire by the means aforesaid in or to or of the same and every part thereof, meaning to include, among other things, all property of whatsoever nature acquired under the following recited deeds or instruments in which said Railway Company is grantee, all dated May 1st, 1905: the above mentioned indenture executed in pursuance of the said decree of foreclosure in the said suit of New York Security and Trust Company, Trustee, complainant, against Detroit Southern Railroad Company, defendant; deed and bill of sale from Detroit Southern Railroad Company; deed and bill of sale from Samuel Hunt, Receiver of the Detroit Southern Railroad Company; deed and bill of sale from Otto T. Bannard as Purchasing Committee as aforesaid."

Excepting from the foregoing described property so much thereof as, upon an exchange of certain depot property at or near Springfield, Ohio, was conveyed by the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company and its receivers to the Cincinnati, Sandusky and Cleveland Railroad Company, the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railway Company, and the Columbus, Springfield and Cincinnati Railroad Company.

The lands thus conveyed to the Cincinnati, Sandusky and Cleveland Railroad Company were in the deed thereof described as follows: "The real estate in the City of Springfield in the County of Clarke and State of Ohio, upon which said Company and its predecessors have heretofore constructed, maintained and operated certain railroad tracks, the centre lines of which tracks are more particularly described as follows: From the intersection of the North Line of Monroe Street with the West Line of [illegible] degrees 52 minutes) one hundred and seventy-three and nine-tenths (173.9) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of seven degrees and four minutes (7 degrees 4 minutes) seventy-five and seven-tenths (75.7) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of two degrees and twenty-six minutes (2 degrees 26 minutes) fifty (50) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of five degrees and twenty-four minutes (5 degrees 24 minutes) fifty (50) feet for the place of beginning; thence from said place of beginning along the last described course fifty (50) feet; thence northwestwardly at angle to the left of five degrees and fourteen minutes (5 degrees 14 minutes) fifty (50) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the right of five degrees and fifty-one minutes (5 degrees 51 minutes) one hundred (100) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the right of ten degrees and eleven minutes (10 degrees 11 minutes) seventy-seven (77) feet to a point of switch; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of fifty-eight minutes (58 minutes) seventy-three (73) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of three degrees and fifty-five minutes (3 degrees 55 minutes) one hundred (100) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of six degrees and fifty-six minutes (6 degrees 56 minutes) eighty-six (86) feet. Also from the above located point of switch northwestwardly at an angle to the right of four degrees and thirty-five minutes (4 degrees 35 minutes) seventy-three (73) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of six degrees and thirty-three minutes (6 degrees 33 minutes) one hundred (100) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of nine degrees and fifty-one minutes (9 degrees 51 minutes) eighty-six (86) feet to a point one hundred and fifty-eight and three-tenths (158.3) feet south of the intersection of the north line of Washington Street with the west line of Spring Street."

The land thus conveyed to the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company was in the deed thereof described as follows:

"Real Estate situate in the City of Springfield, in the County of Clarke and State of Ohio, to wit: a part of outlot Number eight (8,) old number five (5,) beginning at an iron bar driven down at a point in the west marginal line of Spring Street as now opened ninety-five (95) feet more or less southwardly from the south side of Washington Street as now opened; thence southwardly along said west marginal line of Spring Street sixty-five (65) feet to a point where an iron spike is driven down; thence north eighty-nine degrees (89 degrees) west on the north boundary line of premises conveyed to A. D. Rogers by deed dated May 16th, 1857, by William White and wife and recorded in the Deed of Records of said Clarke County in Volume 37, at page 101, one hundred and forty-six (146) feet; thence north sixty-five (65) feet to the south boundary line of real estate belonging to the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company; thence east along said south boundary line one hundred and forty-six (146) feet to the place of beginning, being the same real estate acquired by the Ohio Southern Railroad Company (the predecessor of said company) by condemnation proceedings as recorded in the records of the Probate Court of said Clarke County in volume eight, at page 267."

The land thus conveyed to the Columbus, Springfield & Cincinnati Railroad Company was in the deed thereof described as follows:

"The real estate in the City of Springfield in Clarke County in the State of Ohio upon which said Company and its predecessors have heretofore constructed, maintained and operated a certain railroad track, the centre line of which track is described as follows: From the intersection of the north line of Monroe Street with the west line of Linden Avenue measure northwardly along said west line of Linden Avenue three hundred and twenty-one and five-tenths (321.5) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of sixty-nine degrees and fifty-two minutes (69 degrees and 52 minutes) one hundred and seventy-three and nine-tenths (173.9) feet for the place of beginning. Thence from said place of beginning northwestwardly at an angle to the left of seven degrees and four minutes (7 degrees 4 minutes) seventy-five and seven-tenths (75.7) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of two degrees and twenty-six minutes (2 degrees 26 minutes) fifty (50) feet."

Second: The properties, including leases, which upon the exchange of certain depot property at or near Springfield, Ohio, hereinbefore referred to, were conveyed to the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company, and which properties, including leases, are described as follows:

"The following described Real Estate situate in the City of Springfield in the County of Clarke and in the State of Ohio, to wit: From the intersection of the North Line of Monroe Street with the East Line of Limestone Street measure Northwardly along said east line of Limestone Street two hundred and fifty-seven and four-tenths (257.4) feet for the place of beginning. Thence from said place of beginning Eastwardly at right angles two hundred and six and three-tenths (206.3) feet; thence Northwardly at right angles forty-six (46) feet; thence Westwardly at right angles two hundred and six and three-tenths (206.3) feet to said East Line of Limestone Street; thence Southwardly at right angles and along said East Line of Limestone Street forty-six (46) feet to the place of beginning, containing two hundred and eighteen one-thousandths (218-1000) of an acre be the same more or less and all the Estate, Title and Interest of the said The Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company and its said receivers thereof either in law or in equity, in and to the said real estate, together with all the privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging, and all the rents, issues, and profits thereof."

And also that certain Indenture of Lease made on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1907, between the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company, The Cincinnati, Sandusky and Cleveland Railroad Company, The Columbus, Springfield and Cincinnati Railway Company as Lessors and The Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company as Lessee, therein and whereby there was leased and demised by the said Lessors unto the said The Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company, its successors and assigns, the following pieces or parcels of real estate in the City of Springfield, County of Clarke and State of Ohio, described therein as follows:

First Parcel:—From the intersection of the North Line of Monroe Street with the West Line of Spring Street measure Northwardly along said West Line of Spring Street two hundred and fifty-seven and four-tenths (257.4) feet for the place of beginning. Thence from said place of beginning Eastwardly and deflecting Eighty-four Degrees and thirty-one minutes (84 degrees 31 minutes) to the right twenty-five and one-tenth (25.1) feet to a point in the Centre Line of said Spring Street; thence Northwardly along said Center Line of Spring Street and deflecting Eighty-four Degrees and thirty-one minutes (84 degrees 31 minutes) to the left twenty-one and one-tenth (21.1) feet; thence Westwardly and deflecting Ninety Degrees (90 degrees) to the left two hundred and thirty and seven-tenths (230.7) feet to the East Line of a Lot fronting on Limestone Street this day conveyed to the said Lessee by the first named Lessor above; thence Southwardly deflecting Ninety degrees (90 degrees) to the left and along said East Line twenty-three and five-tenths (23.5) feet to the Southeast Corner of said Lot fronting on Limestone Street; thence Eastwardly and deflecting Ninety Degrees (90 degrees) to the left two hundred and five and seven-tenths (205.7) feet to the place of beginning, containing twelve one-hundredths (12-100) of an acre be the same more or less as shown and marked "C" on attached plat, which is hereby declared to be a part hereof. Together with the right and privilege to use a driveway on the North Side of the above described real estate extending from said North Side Northwardly to the continuation of the North Line of a driveway named in the Deed of this date from the first named Lessor conveying to said Lessee said lot of ground fronting on Limestone Street, which driveway is to be kept open for the use of said Lessors and said Lessee and their business patrons for access to the grounds and track of said Lessors and said Lessee and the successors and assigns of said Lessors and said Lessee.

Second Parcel:—From the intersection of the North Line of Monroe Street with the East Line of Spring Street measure Northwardly along said East Line of Spring Street two hundred and sixty-two and two-tenths feet for the place of beginning. Thence from said place of beginning Northeastwardly and deflecting Seventy-one degrees and forty-two minutes (71 degrees 42 minutes) to the right and on a curve to the right with a radius of two thousand eight hundred and seventy-four and ninety-three one hundredths (2874.93) feet two hundred and fifteen and seven-tenths (215.7) feet; thence Northeastwardly on a curve to the right with a radius of one thousand three hundred and sixty-nine and six-tenths (1369.6) feet eighty-nine and three-tenths (89.3) feet; thence Northeastwardly tangent to the last named curve two hundred and one and one-tenth (201.1) feet to a point in the centre line of Gallagher Street, which is three hundred and seventy-seven and six-tenths (377.6) feet North of the North Line of Monroe Street; thence Northwardly along said centre line of Gallagher Street and deflecting seventy-nine degrees and forty-nine minutes (79 degrees 49 minutes) to the left eleven and three-tenths (11.3) feet; thence Southwestwardly and deflecting one hundred degrees and eleven minutes (100 degrees 11 minutes) to the left two hundred and three and one-tenth (203.1) feet; thence Southwestwardly on a curve to the left with a radius of one thousand three hundred and eighty and six-tenths (1380.6) feet eighty-nine and seven-tenths (89.7) feet; thence Southwestwardly on a curve to the left with a radius of two thousand eight hundred and eighty-five and ninety-three one-hundredths (2885.93) feet one hundred and fifty-eight and seven-tenths (158.7) feet; thence Southwestwardly tangent to the last named curve and deflecting ten degrees and twenty-three minutes (10 degrees 23 minutes) to the right seventy-five and five-tenths (75.5) feet to a point in the centre line of said Spring Street, which is the Northeast corner of the above described First Parcel; thence Southwardly along said centre line of Spring Street and along the East Line of said First Parcel and deflecting Eighty-three degrees and fourteen minutes (83 degrees 14 minutes) to the left twenty-one and one-tenth (21.1) feet to the Southeast Corner of said First Parcel; thence Northeastwardly and deflecting Ninety-five degrees and twenty-nine minutes (95 degrees 29 minutes) to the left twenty-five and one-tenth (25.1) feet to the place of beginning, containing fourteen one-hundredths (.14) of an acre, be the same more or less, as shown and marked "A" on the attached plat, which is hereby declared to be a part hereof.

Third Parcel:—From the intersection of the North Line of Monroe Street with the East Line of Gallagher Street measure Northwardly along said East Line of Gallagher Street three hundred and eighty and five-tenths (380.5) feet for the place of beginning. Thence from said place of beginning Southwestwardly and deflecting One hundred degrees and eleven minutes (100 degrees 11 minutes) to the [illegible] sixteen and eight-tenths (16.8) feet to a point in the center line of said Gallagher Street, which is the Southeast Corner of the above described Second Parcel; thence Northwardly along said center line of Gallagher Street and along the East Line of said Second Parcel and deflecting One hundred degrees and eleven minutes (100 degrees 11 minutes) to the right eleven and three-tenths (11.3) feet to the Northeast Corner of said Second Parcel; thence Northeastwardly and deflecting Seventy-nine degrees and forty-nine minutes (79 degrees 49 minutes) to the right sixteen and eight-tenths (16.8) feet; thence Eastwardly on a curve to the right with a radius of three hundred and seventy and twenty-six one-hundredths (370.26) feet one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet; thence Southwardly and deflecting Seventy-nine degrees and forty-nine minutes (79 degrees 49 minutes) to the right from the tangent to said curve eleven and three-tenths (11.3) feet; thence Westwardly and deflecting one hundred degrees and eleven minutes (100 degrees 11 minutes) to the right to the tangent to a curve to the left with a radius of three hundred and fifty-nine and twenty-six one-hundredths (359.26) feet one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet on the last named curve to the place of beginning, containing three one-hundredths (.03) of an acre be the same more or less as shown and marked "B" on the attached plat, which is hereby declared to be a part hereof. The first named Lessor above nevertheless reserves the right to construct and maintain across the above described Second Parcel a track in consequence of which there will be a crossing of said track with the track which said lessee is to construct, on said Second Parcel about two hundred and fifteen (215) feet East to Spring Street.

Together with the unexpired term thereof with the right, title and interest therein and thereto of the said The Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company, subject to all the terms, provisions and agreements in said lease contained; and also all the right, title and interest of the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company and the said Receivers thereof in and to that certain memorandum of agreement between the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company of the first part and The Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company of the second part, dated the 15th day of August, 1907, relating to and concerning the property described in the aforesaid lease.

Third—The following described small parcels of real property and the following described equipment, to wit:

The Gravel Pit property at or near Springfield, Ohio, described as follows:

Being part of Sec. 5, Twp. 4 Range 9 M. R. S. beginning at a stone planted as a monument at the S. E. corner of a certain tract of land conveyed to J. D. L. Snyder by Sarah D. Bechtle and others and recorded in Vol. 58, pages 2 & 3 of Clarke County Deed Records; thence S. 79 degrees W. 59.72 poles more or less to a stone monument at another of said Snyders corners; thence South 15 degrees E. 78 poles more or less to a stone planted as a monument on the north side of a street 40 feet wide running East and West; thence N. 79 degrees E. 59.72 poles more or less to another stone planted as a monument on the North line of said street; thence North 15 degrees W. 78 poles more or less to the place of beginning, containing 29.46 acres of land more or less; and being the same real estate conveyed to said Charles O. Straub by deed of Charles A. Newcomb and others dated Jan. 9, 1907, and recorded in Vol. 155, pages 557, of deed records of said county.

The following described parcel at or near Waverly, Ohio:

Situated in the County of Pike, State of Ohio, and in the Twp. of Pee Pee and in Survey No. 490, beginning at a point in the Center of the Waverly and Beaver turnpike being a corner to the lands of Charles P. Schaussell, Henry Gorman, Henry B. McKenzie and the South Line of the Right of Way of the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Ry. Co.; thence South 75 degrees E. 67 poles with said Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Right of Way to a point in said line which is also a point in the westerly line of the N. & W. Ry. Right of Way; thence with the line of said Norfolk & Western Ry. line S. 32½ degrees E. 6 poles; thence leaving said railway line S. 70 degrees W. 45 poles and 4 links to the S. E. corner of garden lot fence; thence with the line of said garden lot N. 9 degrees, E. 8 poles to the N. E. corner of said garden lot fence; thence with another line of said garden lot fence S. 70 degrees W. 19 poles and 5 links to the center of the Waverly and Beaver Turnpike; thence with the center of said Turnpike N. 7 degrees W. 34 poles to the place of beginning, containing 8½ acres more or less.

Fourth: All other lines of railway and additional mileage of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company, and other property of any kind and nature which on May 2, 1905, was owned or held by said Railway Company or thereafter acquired by it by means of the said General Lien and Divisional First Mortgage bonds, or with the proceeds of the sale or disposition thereof, or from the fund of two million five hundred thousand dollars mentioned in the recitals of the said mortgage and referred to in sub-division 4th of the description of the property mortgaged contained in the said General Lien and Divisional First Mortgage.

The properties above described covered by said General Lien and Divisional First Mortgage have heretofore been operated as one railroad system, but are so situated with respect to the liens thereon as to compel a sale in parcels. The said properties consist of two parcels, to wit: The first parcel, the Ohio Southern Division, containing 223.85 miles, comprising all and singular the line of railroad from the City of Lima, in Allen County, Ohio, through the Counties of Allen, Auglaize, Shelby, Logan, Champaign, Clarke, Madison, Fayette, Highland, Ross, Pike, Jackson, Gallia, and Lawrence, in said State, to the Village of Rockwood, in said Lawrence County, and all branches, additions, and extensions thereof, including the branch or branches extending from said main line at Jeffersonville, Fayette County, northeastwardly through Fayette and Madison Counties to Sedalia, and from said Jeffersonville southwestwardly through Fayette, Greene, and Clinton Counties to Kingman, all in said State of Ohio. The second parcel, that portion of the said Railway which extends from Delray (Detroit) to Lima, containing 137.6 miles, known as the Northern Division, and that portion of the said Railway which extends from Bloom Junction to Ironton, including the Dean Branch, containing 36.12 miles, known as the Southern Division, there being operated in conjunction with the said Northern and Southern Divisions forty-three miles of leased lines of railroad, making an aggregate of owned and leased lines in the Northern and Southern Divisions of 216.72 miles.

The properties covered by said General Lien and Divisional First Mortgage will therefore be sold as follows: The Special Master Commissioner will first put up for sale that portion of the property known as the Ohio Southern Division described as aforesaid, subject nevertheless to the mortgage thereof from Detroit Southern Railroad Company to Central Trust Company of New York, dated June 1, 1901, to secure an authorized issue of bonds aggregating $4,500,000 of principal, bearing interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually March and September 1st, and under which bonds to the aggregate principal sum of $4,495,000 have been issued and are outstanding. Said principal outstanding sum has been matured. There is now due upon said bonds $4,495,000 of principal, besides interest thereon at the rate of four per centum per annum from September 1, 1910. Suit for the foreclosure of the said mortgage has been brought and decree of foreclosure and sale was entered therein by the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Ohio, Eastern Division, December 19, 1912. The Special Master Commissioner will then and whether or not any bid has been received or accepted upon the offering of the Ohio Southern Division immediately put up for sale the parts of the property known as the Northern Division and the Southern Division, generally described as aforesaid, and he will then and whether or not any bid has been received or accepted upon the offering either of the Ohio Southern Division or the Northern and Southern Divisions, immediately put up for sale the entire property as a unit.

The offerings of the separate divisions will in each case be subject to the sale of the property as a whole and to the right of the Court to accept the bid or bids which it shall deem the highest and best in the interests of the parties. With each divisional parcel sold there will be included and sold as part thereof one-half in value and as nearly as may be one-half in kind and description of the supplies and materials in the possession of the receiver at the time of sale, division thereof to be made by the Receiver subject to the supervisory order of the Court; and with each divisional parcel sold there will be included and sold as part thereof the cars and equipment generally belonging thereto, to wit: in the case of the Ohio Southern Division the cars and equipment included within the Ohio Southern Division Mortgage to Central Trust Company of New York, hereinbefore described, and in the case of the Northern and Southern Divisions the cars and equipment included in the General Lien and Divisional First Mortgage to The New York Trust Company, hereinbefore described; and with each divisional parcel there will also be included and sold as part thereof, one-half of the locomotives, cars, and equipment purchased under authority of the Court during the receivership.

The identity of the equipment will in all cases be determined by the Receiver, in accordance with the records in his possession, and subject to the supervisory order of the Court. In case the whole property shall be sold as a unit all of the said supplies and equipment will be included and sold as part thereof. In any event, the purchaser of any equipment which at the time of the sale shall be held under Equipment Trust Agreement or Agreement for Repairs or for Purchase shall take the same subject to all the terms and conditions of such Trust Agreement or Agreement for Repairs or Purchase, including all provisions for deferred payments; and such purchaser shall by such purchase be held to have assumed and to have agreed to carry out and fulfill the terms and conditions of the said agreements affecting the equipment so purchased by him.

The equipment, or parts thereof, is subject to the following equipment trust agreements or agreements for repairs or purchase:

Agreement with American Locomotive Company, dated September 15, 1900, for purchase of eight locomotives, numbered 100 to 107, inclusive, requiring periodical payments to September 15, 1913; amount due after December 1st, 1912, $27,911.25.

Agreement with American Locomotive Company, dated December 1, 1910, for purchase of twelve locomotives, numbered 108 to 119, inclusive, requiring periodical payments to January 14, 1916; amount due after December 1st, 1912, $77,400.

Agreement accepted November 1, 1911, with Crawford Locomotive & Car Company, for repairing two hundred gondola coal cars and two hundred box cars, requiring semi-monthly payments on basis "per diem" rates until full payment; amount due after December 1st, 1912, $56,655.15.

Agreement accepted November 9, 1912, with Central Locomotive & Car Works for repairs of one thousand gondola coal cars and [illegible] monthly on basis of forty-five cents per day per car until full payment; amount due after December 1st, 1912, approximately, $500,000.

Agreement accepted November 19, 1912, with Norfolk & Western Railway Company, for repairs to five locomotives, payment to be made in receiver's certificates; amount due after December 1st, 1912, approximately, $15,000.

Agreement accepted November 9, 1912, with Central Locomotive and Car Works for purchase of five hundred second hand coal cars, payments to be made semi-monthly on basis of forty-five cents per day per car until full payment; amount due after December 1st, 1912, $157,395.60.

In the event that the properties shall not be sold as a unit but in separate parcels, as in this notice hereinbefore provided, any receiver's obligations and indebtedness incurred after September 1, 1912, and any indebtedness which, pursuant to the provisions of the said amended decrees or the further order of the said court shall have priority over the said Ohio Southern Division Mortgage and said General Lien and Divisional First Mortgage, or either of them, shall be divided between and charged upon the respective divisions of the said railroad in accordance with the principles established by the report of the Master filed in the said Court in the Eastern District of Michigan, Southern Division, December 9, 1912, subject to the further supervisory order of the said court.

The said Master Commissioner will accept no bid of less than $1,550,000 for the Ohio Southern Division upon a sale thereof as a separate parcel; he will accept no bid of less than $1,650,000 upon the Northern and Southern Divisions upon a sale thereof as a separate parcel, and he will accept no bid of less than $3,200,000 for the whole property upon a sale thereof as a unit. The said minimum sums were fixed by the Court in the said decrees in order to prevent a sacrifice and to protect the interests of all concerned as the least sums for which the said properties respectively should be sold. The Master will not accept any bid unless the bidder shall place in his hands at the time of the bid, as a part of his bid and a pledge to make the same good if accepted and the sale confirmed, the following sums in cash, to wit: Upon a bid for the Ohio Southern Division the sum of $100,000; upon a bid for the Northern and Southern Divisions the sum of $100,000, and upon a bid for the whole property as a unit, the sum of $200,000. Said sums may be placed with the Special Master Commissioner by certified cheque or certificate of deposit approved by the Master. The sum deposited shall be forfeited in case the bidder, if successful, shall fail to make good his bid and comply with the terms of the said decrees and any orders hereafter made as to future payments or otherwise; but each of said deposited sums may be applied on the purchase price of the parcel of the whole property in respect of which the deposit is made in case of such compliance by the purchaser, or returned in case the bid in question is not successful or the sale in question shall not be confirmed by the Court. The deposits in respect of either or both the parcels may, at the option of the bidder, be deposited on account of the required deposit for a bid on the entire property.

The court reserves the right to reject any bid and to resell the property in respect of which the bid shall have been made or any part thereof upon failure of the purchaser to comply with any order of the Court as to payment of the remainder of the purchase price or any part thereof.

There shall be paid in cash of the price at which the said property shall be sold, in addition to the amounts paid at the time of the sale, such further portions of the purchase money as the Court shall direct. The remainder of the purchase money may be paid as follows:

Upon a sale of the Ohio Southern Division wholly or partly in cash and in claims payable under article 3 of said amended decree, or in receiver's certificates payable under article 3 of said amended decree, to the extent and proportion that such claims and receiver's certificates are by said amended decree charged upon the Ohio Southern Division.

Upon a sale of the Northern and Southern Divisions wholly or partly in cash and in claims payable under article 3 of said amended decree, or in receiver's certificates payable under article 3 of said amended decree, to the extent and proportion that such claims and receiver's certificates are by said amended decree charged upon the Northern and Southern Divisions.

Upon a sale of the whole property as a unit in cash or in claims payable under article 3 of said amended decree, or in receiver's certificates payable under article 3 of said amended decree; and also upon a sale either of the Northern and Southern Divisions or of the whole property as a unit in said General Lien and Divisional First Mortgage Bonds, with overdue coupons thereon, or in said consolidated bonds, with overdue coupons thereon, at such proportion of value as the holders thereof would be entitled to receive thereon on distribution of the proceeds of such sale in case such price were wholly paid in cash.

All taxes and assessments upon the property sold and all said receiver's certificates and all claims payable under article 3 of said amended decree, will be allowed out of the purchase money where the purchaser produces proofs of such liens and claims and [illegible]

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LOST—A gold Tiffany watch, initialed "M. W." and gold pin, in dressing room of Franklin Simon & Co., 5th Av. and 37th St., Monday, about 12:15 P. M.; please return to 137 East 34th St. Telephone 5367 Madison Square.

LOST—A silk umbrella, with black handle with gold band, taken from our 23d Street store by mistake Monday afternoon; reward will be paid for return, and no questions asked. Putnam's, 27 West 23d Street.

LOST—Friday afternoon, Dec. 27, between 13 West 49th St. and 5th Av., a small bar pin containing 7 diamonds; $25 reward for return of same to Howard & Co., 5th Av. and 50th St.

LOST—Suitable reward paid for recovery of package of correspondence, left on Erie ferryboat leaving 23d St., 7 P. M., Dec. 30, signed W. P. Hill, 553 West 23d St.

LOST—Between 45th and 47th St., a large gold nugget stick pin; finder will receive a liberal reward. DARBY, KING EDWARD HOTEL.

LOST—Christmas eve, between 81st St. and 149th St., leather purse containing two mesh bags; reward. Newman, 504 West 149th St.

LOST—On 3d Av. "L," Dec. 25, about 2 P. M., alligator handbag and contents; reward. Mrs. Smith, Holland Av., Rockaway Beach.

LOST—Friday night, pearl necklace, diamond clasp, 42d St., 7th and 8th Avs., or Columbus Av. car; liberal reward. 114 West 79th St.

LOST—Carbuncle ring, open gold setting, Madison Avenue and 93d St., or on car. Return to Smalley, 328 West 57th St.

LOST—Gun metal mesh bag containing opera glasses, lorgnette and gloves; $5 reward. 304 Castle Point Terrace, Hoboken.

LOST—Heart-shaped gold locket, photos initialed "R. V. G."; reward. Lesser, 1,845 7th Av.

LOST—Bank Book 385,683, Union Dime Savings Bank; payment stopped. Return to bank.

LOST—Diamond pin, monogram L. S.; liberal reward. Autenrieth, 601 W. 156th St.

$25.00 REWARD FOR RING containing black opal with three small green stones on each side, lost Dec. 27, between 5th Av., 44th St. and Madison Av., 56th St. Tiffany & Co., Fifth Avenue, 37th Street.

FIFTY ($50.00) DOLLARS REWARD for diamond crown brooch, lost Dec. 22. Tiffany & Co., Fifth Avenue, 37th Street.

Lost and Found, Cats, Dogs

Lost—Brindle Boston bull terrier; white breast; between eyes; white diamond top of head; green collar; answers Rob; liberal reward. 40 West 74th St.

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Wanted—Party to invest $3,000 with owner for 40% interest in oil well on proven oil land; highest grade oil in U. S. Investigate this opportunity. T 113 Times.

Man and wife want good Summer hotel, lease or manage; only A1 propositions considered; large following; no agencies or brokers. Y 66 Times.

Have original idea for gigantic enterprise; $10,000 needed. Call personally, to-day only, till 6 P. M., Hotel Navarre, 7th Av., Room 109.

Partner for printing business; invest few hundred dollars. Quick, 227 Times Downtown.

Electric and locksmith shop; sell very cheap. Rose, 196 West 108th St.

Apartments to Let Unfurnished

West Side.

244 WEST 104TH.
Eight light, newly decorated rooms; elevator, near Subway, elevated stations; $85 to $100; concessions.

A very pleasant apartment of six rooms; second floor; 847 West End Av. Inquire janitor or 112 West 81st St.

Furnished

TWO NEWLY FURNISHED APARTMENTS
6 ROOMS AND 2 BATHS $275 MONTHLY
6 ROOMS $200 MONTHLY.
FIREPROOF BUILDING, VACUUM CLEANER, ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS.
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GRAMPION HOTEL, St. Nicholas Av. and 119th St.—Two rooms and bath, fully furnished, service and attendance, $37.50 and $47.50 monthly; one three-room and bath, $55; dining room. Particulars at office.

Wanted—Young business woman wanted to share four-room apartment, newly furnished; elevator, electric lights, telephone; near Broadway. 205 West 103d St., Apartment 4.

Free information regarding investigated sublet apartments. Leland's, 4 W. 33d. (Established over 25 years.)

Furnished apartment for lease; short time leases. Slawson & Hobbs, 162 West 72d St.

[illegible] St., 53 West.—Suite of two rooms; private bath, hot water, heat; private house.

[illegible] St., 53 West.—Parlor floor; private house; suitable for professionals.

Unfurnished Apartments Wanted

Unfurnished apartment, man and wife, 3, 4 rooms and bath; steam heat, hot water, refined neighborhood, near Subway or "L," about $25; give full particulars. N 171 Times.

City Houses to Let—Unfurnished

I have a very desirable list of furnished and unfurnished houses and apartments; all sizes, all prices, and in all parts of the city. A. C. Hewitson, Real Estate, 101 West 66th St., corner Broadway.

Bronx.

2,439 Walton Av. (Near Fordham Road.)—House, 7 rooms, bath, furnace; rent $35. Inquire 2,441 Walton Av.

Pianos and Organs

Steinway mahogany upright piano, in excellent order, will sell for $125. 318 W. 42d St.

Will sell one parlor grand piano, Steinway or Kimball; no dealers. 328 East 87th St.

Boarders Wanted

East Side.

[illegible] ST., 29 EAST.—Desirable rooms; running water; excellent table; references; telephone.

15TH ST., 210 EAST, (Stuyvesant Park.)—Large rooms, private bath, well heated; excellent board; telephone.

47TH ST., 130 EAST.—Newly furnished rooms; heated; running water; excellent board; phone; moderate.

30TH ST., 40 EAST.—Corner floor, two rooms, bath; elevator, steam heat; excellent board.

A.—A.—53D ST., 37 EAST.—Rooms with board; table board; references.

IRVING PLACE, 71.—Large, small rooms; private baths; board; references. Telephone Gramercy 1978.

West Side.

[illegible]TH, 20-22, 33 WEST.—Large and small rooms; well heated; unexcelled board; telephone.

39TH ST., 49 WEST.—Heart shopping district; convenience theatres; high-class home cooking; table board.

44TH ST., 260 WEST, (Alliance Hotel.)—"Quiet place for quiet people." Single rooms, including board, $10 per week; use of bath; suites consisting of parlor, sleeping apartments, private bathrooms, $30 up per week, including board for two; other double rooms; steam heat throughout; elevator service. 'Phone 6068 Bryant.

49TH ST., 68 WEST.—Established 24 years; rooms and suites; private baths, telephone; superior table.

54TH ST., 54 WEST.
Large room, first-class; references.

57TH ST., 351 WEST.—First-class furnished large and small rooms; good board; Subway; telephone.

68TH ST., 72 WEST.—Comfortable rooms; ample table. A call may be to your advantage.

269 WEST 70TH ST.
Furnished rooms; phone; Sub.; board optional.

72D, 159 WEST.—Attractive rooms, suite or separate; board; parlor floor dining room; references.

72D ST., 322 WEST.—Homelike single and double rooms; all conveniences; home cooking; reasonable; references.

76TH ST., 237 WEST.—Just opened; newly furnished, pleasant rooms; running water; excellent table.

76TH ST., 127-129 WEST.—Second floor front; running water; excellent table; parlor dining; reasonable.

79TH ST., 114 AND 132 WEST.—Norece Hall and The Bonheur.—Under one management; select residential hotels; new throughout; steam heat; exceptional rooms and suites; large parlors, reception rooms, lounge and tea room; ideal in all appointments; Southern cooking; white maid service; rates reasonable. Write for booklet. 'Phone 7140 Schuyler.

80TH ST., 124 WEST.—Exceptionally fine room; electricity, telephone, home environments; generous table; references.

83D ST., 11 WEST.—Warm, well-appointed rooms, southern exposure; first flight. Phone 5326 Schuyler.

83D ST., 23 WEST.—A large room with board; near bath; home surroundings. Schuyler 4837.

84TH, 51 WEST.—Elegant, large, small rooms; private baths; excellent cuisine; all accommodations; telephone.

86TH ST., 149 WEST.—First-class table board; private house. Telephone 1848 River.

93D ST., 21 WEST.—Handsomely furnished rooms; running water; "L"; French cuisine; table guests.

93D ST., 117 WEST.—Light rooms; steam heat, hot water; also suite with private bath.

94TH ST., 36 WEST.—Hall room; gentleman appreciating comforts; running water; excellent board; Jewish family.

96TH ST., 68 WEST.—Large, small rooms; all conveniences; $2.50 up; with board, $6 up.

103D, (corner West End, 879.)—Large corner room; all conveniences; splendid cuisine; rates moderate.

113TH ST., 544 WEST.—Large room, second floor front; also single; table guests; home cooking.

114TH ST., 526 WEST.—Large and small, sunny rooms, adjoining bath; excellent table; table guests.

122D ST., 416 WEST, (Morningside Park.)—South rooms; elevator; nutritious cooking; table guests. Apt. 53.

137TH, 602 WEST, B'way Subway.—High-class accommodation; beautiful front room; excellent German cooking; private Jewish family; references. Elevator Apt. 43.

148TH ST., 517 WEST.—Well-furnished large and small rooms; electric lights; telephone; home cooking.

149TH ST., 540 to 548 WEST, (near Broadway.—Beautiful, healthful section, the Audubon; bright, well-heated rooms; electricity, private 'phone, bath, every comfort; $12 one, $14 to $20 two, including excellent board; parlor dining rooms; separate tables; social surroundings, real home. Telephone, 2757 Audubon.

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LADY having refined home, residential section, within forty minutes of City Hall, wants small family to share same. Chrystal, 221 West Anderson St., Hackensack, N. J.

Board Wanted

Refined gentleman desires board or room with congenial, private people; above 42d St. T 111 Times.

Furnished Rooms

East Side.

11TH ST., 78 EAST. Adjoining 5th Av.—Comfortable, heated rooms; running water, next baths; closets.

31ST, 116 EAST.—Desirable rooms for business gentlemen; every modern improvements; quiet, private house.

44TH, 139 EAST.—Large, attractive room and sunny hall room; all conveniences; private house; phone.

45TH ST., 25 EAST.—Rooms, with and without bath; gentlemen; references.

62D ST., 24 EAST.—Furnished large room, with private bath, electric light, steam heat, elevator service; $20 per week.

87TH ST., 328 EAST.—Large front room; all conveniences; telephone; private house; references desired.

IRVING PLACE, 14.—Front rooms; box spring beds; tiled bathrooms; absolute cleanliness. Wolcott Building.

LEXINGTON AV., 14.—Large, bright, front room; private bath; small rooms, with conveniences.

LEXINGTON AV., 642.—Handsome rooms, bath and all accommodations; scrupulously clean; private house; gentlemen; references.

MADISON AV. 175, near 33d.—Comfortable large room, suitable two gentlemen; bath; hall room; references.

West Side.

5TH AV., 25—Refined surroundings; nice light, small rooms; bath; breakfast optional.

9TH, 41 WEST.—Large, sunny, front room; private bath; modern conveniences; telephone; other rooms.

12TH ST., 61 WEST.—Beautifully furnished, newly decorated rooms; every convenience; single room, $2.50; telephone.

21ST, 263 WEST.—Beautifully furnished single room; elevator, telephone, electricity; $4. Apartment 20.

23D ST., 423 WEST, Near 9th Av. "L."—Newly decorated and furnished rooms and suites; bath, 'phone, electricity; references required.

44TH, 100 WEST.—Nicely furnished rooms, large, small; housekeeping privileges; reasonable; conveniences; phone.

46TH, 258-338 WEST.—Nicely furnished large and small rooms; reasonable; all conveniences; phone.

46TH ST., 228 WEST.—Newly furnished rooms; electric light, telephone; well heated.

47TH ST., 41 WEST.—Large and small elegantly furnished, steam-heated rooms; breakfast optional.

47TH ST., 56 WEST.—Small front rooms, steam heated, electricity, 'phone; central location.

47TH ST., 68 WEST.—Beautifully furnished large rooms, bath; telephone; suitable two, three; small room.

50TH, 51 WEST.—Nicely furnished small room, with private American family; gentleman; reference.

51ST ST., 234 WEST.—Newly furnished large and small rooms; 'phone; private house.

53D ST., 62 WEST.—One large room with private bath. Second floor front.

54TH ST., 215 WEST.—Beautifully furnished, large, light rooms in private apartment, suitable for gentlemen; all conveniences; breakfast optional; references exchanged.

58TH ST., 344 WEST.—Under new management; large and small, nicely furnished, warm rooms; hot and cold water; large, handsomely appointed front parlor; hot and cold water; two baths; telephone; half block Subway; select home for refined people; references.

Furnished Rooms

West Side.

58TH, 120 WEST.—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences. 7834 Columbus.

64TH ST., 100 WEST.—Large, sunny room; steam, hot water; suitable for two; $5. Moury.

68TH ST., 85 WEST.—Bachelor apartments, exquisitely kept; unrivaled service; absolutely private; every modern convenience; breakfast if desired; highest references only.

70TH, 105 WEST.—Clean, beautifully furnished room; light back parlor; kitchenette. Phone 4034 Col.

71ST, 269 WEST.—Large adjoining rooms, front and back; all conveniences; board optional.

74TH, 149 WEST.—Rooms; suitable one or two; near bath; refined surroundings; references.

75TH ST., 181 WEST.—Beautiful sunny room; elevator apartment; refined surroundings; references; gentlemen; $8. Kelley.

76TH, 148 WEST.—Well-furnished, medium-sized front room, near bath; telephone; references.

78TH ST., 180 WEST.—Large front room, private bath; parquet floor; electricity; reference; telephone.

78TH ST., 107 WEST.—Second floor front room; southern exposure; all conveniences; private family; references.

78TH, 164 WEST.—Handsomely furnished large room; superior board; refined home; table board; references.

78TH ST., 168 WEST.—Handsome steam-heated rooms; private house; Subway; 'phone; gentlemen preferred; references.

78TH ST., 201 WEST.—Large, small rooms; comfortable, homelike; running water, elevator, telephone; $4.50 up.

78TH, 132 WEST.—Large rooms, 2 beds; bath same floor; well heated; phone; reasonable.

80TH ST., 122 WEST.—Bachelor home; choice rooms, large and single; handsomely appointed house; reference.

80TH ST., 162 WEST.—Furnished, with Spanish family; board optional; first-class table; telephone.

81ST ST., 108 WEST.—Pleasant, nicely furnished room; running water; conveniences; reasonable; private house; references.

81ST, 118 WEST.—Parlors, suitable for doctor, furnished, unfurnished; newly decorated; also small room.

81ST ST., 265 WEST.—Handsomely furnished, sunny rooms; gentlemen; references; $6, $10. V. R.

82D ST., 134 WEST.—Large front room, second floor; running water; well heated; adjoining bath.

85TH, 128 WEST.—Large rooms; private bath; nicely furnished; reasonable; telephone; references.

87TH ST., 156 WEST.—First-class rooms; baths; couples; gentlemen; private house; board; "L," Subway.

89TH ST., 252 WEST.—Private house; handsomely furnished room; bath; terms moderate. Tel. 7996 Riverside.

93D ST., 250 WEST.—A suite of two front rooms, corner of Broadway; running water, electric light, telephone, elevator service; board optional.

93D ST., 27 WEST.—Attractive, homelike rooms; large, small; warm, sunny; all conveniences; telephone; reasonable.

94TH, 142 WEST.—Large, medium; southern exposure; bath; running water; telephone; private house; gentlemen.

95TH ST., 62 WEST.—Large, sunny room; German-American family; parlor dining room; table guests.

95TH, 310 WEST.—Suite of three front rooms; suitable for couple; elegant location in home of small family; maid service. Sanderson.

95TH, 330 WEST.—Cozy, large room, with private family; palatial home; gentlemen. Apt. 4.

97TH ST., 143 WEST.—First-class private house; attractive rooms, suite, singly; board optional; phone.

102D ST., 254 WEST.—Private house near Subway station; refined environment; small, attractive room. Telephone.

103D, 252 WEST, (Near Subway, Riverside.)—Exceptionally desirable rooms; couple, gentlemen; excellent table; references.

106TH ST., 38 WEST.—Small, sunny, pleasant room; private house; every convenience; telephone; gentlemen; references.

111TH ST., 610 WEST.—Attractive, light room, adjoining bath; high-class apartment; share kitchen. Stevens.

112TH ST., 508 WEST.—Outside, sunny room; private family; elevator; electricity; references. 6th floor south.

115TH ST., 606 WEST.—Attractive, warm, light room; running water; desirable neighborhood; references. White.

116TH, Near Riverside and Subway.—Large front room, gentlemen. Phone 3596 Morningside. Apt. 24.

118TH ST., 414 WEST, (near Columbia.)—Elevator, telephone; single rooms, $3.50; double, $5.50. Smith.

122D ST., 416 WEST.—Large room, first class; reasonable; elevator; electricity; 'phone; kitchen. Apartment 31.

136TH ST., 601 WEST.—Desirable sunny front room; bath adjoining; high-class elevator; reasonable. White.

136TH ST., 224 WEST.—An attractive, sunny room; quiet, refined home; telephone.

137TH ST., 611 WEST.—Suites; private bath; single rooms; running water; hotel service. Pierson.

139TH ST., 601 WEST.—Near station; front rooms; southern exposure; electricity; elevator; reasonable. Apartment 31.

179TH, 706 WEST.—Newly furnished outside room; electricity, steam heat, telephone, shower; suitable one or two; moderate. Schrage, Apartment 51.

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WANTED—Girl for cook and laundry work who would like a good place with nice family, short distance in the country; wages $30; state reference and age. Address F. Mertens, 473 Broome St., city.

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ADVERTISING SOLICITOR on commission, with small expense allowance; ambitious, active young man, who has had some experience and acquaintance among advertisers and agencies preferred; good manner and appearance and determination to win; fine opportunity to develop profitable connection with first-class growing magazine of National circulation; state experience and references. C. S. M., 165 Times.

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EXPERIENCED SALESMAN for embroidery; one well connected with department stores; also to look up out-of-town buyers. Box N 169.

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MOVING-PICTURE OPERATING taught practically; $18 to $25 positions guaranteed; come nights if you work; $5 starts you. Edwards, 22 East 21st St.

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LAUNDRESS, best of references, wishes work, home. 22 West 99th St. Dickerson.

STENOGRAPHER.—Five years' experience; capable taking notes of board or Directors' meetings, or attending to routine correspondence without dictation; $18-$20. Immediate. H 222 Times Downtown.

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ACCOUNTANT.—Books opened, system installed, disentangled; arrangements with firms not employing bookkeepers; $2.50 weekly. Accountant, 79 Mercer St. Tel. 398 Spring.

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Salesman well acquainted among the high-class carpet, upholstery, furniture, and decorative trade wants representations or position as traveling salesman. N 168 Times.

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Bankruptcy Sales

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, EASTERN District of New York in Bankruptcy.—In the matter of THE STAR BRASS & IRON BED CO., Alleged Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York, the undersigned, Robert F. Randall, receiver in bankruptcy of The Star Brass & Iron Bed Co., alleged bankrupt, offers for sale the property, assets and effects of the said alleged bankrupt, consisting of the following: Machinery, tools, merchandise, and all other personal property belonging to the said business except, however, all accounts, promissory notes, evidences of indebtedness, mortgages, covering either real or personal property, and except also any and all real estate of any kind, nature, or description. The business will be offered as a going concern on any bids for the entirety, except that the real estate in which the said business is located or any other real estate belonging to this estate is not offered. The above described property will be sold subject to the following liens and incumbrances: Any and all claims made or that may be made by any of the mortgagees that the machinery or any part thereof annexed to the property is a part of the realty and cannot be removed, and any and all chattel mortgages or other liens against the said property. Further particulars in regard to the said liens may be obtained from the receiver or from his attorney, Julius H. Reiter.

The above described property may be inspected on the premises at any time up to the sale from 8 A. M. until 6 P. M. Bids for the above described property, assets and effect, as an entirety, except, however, the assets above excepted, and the real estate, may be submitted to Julius H. Reiter, attorney for the receiver, at his office, No. 320 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before 12 o'clock noon of January 7, 1913, at which time and place bids will be opened by him and creditors may attend and express themselves in relation thereto. Each bid must be accompanied by certified check or cash for at least 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid. The receiver reserves the right to reject any or all bids, in which event the said property will be sold at public auction through J. W. & W. H. Reid, United States Auctioneer, on January 14, 1913, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated New York, December 30, 1912.
ROBERT F. RANDALL, Receiver,
60 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.
JULIUS H. REITER, Attorney for Receiver,
320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of H. LANGSAN and CHARLES GIAMANCO, trading as WORTHMORE WAIST CO., Bankrupts.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Tuesday, Jan. 7th, 1913, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 128 East 16th St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of shirtwaists, materials, silks, motor, safe, machinery, desk, fixtures, &c.

Inspection Jan. 4th and 6th between 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. THOMAS B. KEOGH, Receiver.
MAX MILLER, Attorney for Receiver, 320 Broadway, New York.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of the ACME SAND & GRAVEL COMPANY, Bankrupt.—Charles S. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells on January 13th, 1912, by order of the court, at twelve o'clock, noon, at the plant in Mattituck, Long Island, assets of the above-named bankrupt, consisting of machinery, conveyor, tools, machinery supplies, belting, &c.; also one Lambert hoisting engine and one Godfrey-Keeler boiler, subject to existing liens.
HARRY C. ADAMS,
Trustee in Bankruptcy.
SIMON SULTAN, Attorney for Trustee, No. 99 Nassau Street, New York City.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of SAMUEL COOPER, individually and as a member of the firm of COOPER & KONRADI, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this Tuesday, Dec. 31st, 1912, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 3,387 Third Ave., Borough of Bronx, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of dry goods, ladies' and gents' furnishing goods, fixtures, safe, &c.
WILLIAM D. CONRAD, Receiver.
MARCUS HELFAND, Attorney for Receiver, 320 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of NATHAN HORWITZ, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Monday, Jan. 6th, 1913, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 35 East 10th St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of skeleton and fur-lined coats, piece goods, trimmings, fur machinery, partitions, fixtures, &c.

Inspection Jan. 3d and 4th between 10 A. M. and 4 P. M.
EZRA P. PRENTICE, Receiver.
ROSENBERG & LEVIS, Attorneys for Receiver, 170 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of MORRIS GOLDBERG, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Tuesday, Jan. 7th, 1913, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 90 Division St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of cloaks, suits, skirts, woolens, trimmings, safe, &c.
MARCUS SCHNITZER, Receiver.
MARCUS HELFAND, Attorney for Receiver, 320 Broadway, New York.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, Southern District of Ohio, Eastern Division.—CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK against DETROIT SOUTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY et al.—In equity.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to and by virtue of a decree of foreclosure and sale made and entered the 19th day of December, 1912, in the above entitled cause, the undersigned, Elmer W. Voorheis, the Special Master appointed in and by said decree, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the station building of the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company in the city of Springfield, county of Clark, State of Ohio, on the 5th day of February, 1913, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, all the following described railroads, property, premises and franchises ordered and decreed by said foreclosure decree to be sold by the undersigned, to wit:—

All and singular the entire line of railroad formerly constituting the property of the Detroit, Southern Railroad Company, comprising all and singular the line of railroad from the City of Lima, in Allen County, Ohio, through the Counties of Allen, Auglaize, Shelby, Logan, Champaign, Clark, Madison, Fayette, Highland, Ross, Pike, Jackson, Gallia and Lawrence, in said State, to the Village of Rockwood in said Lawrence County, and all branches, additions and extensions thereof, including the branch or branches extending from said main line at Jeffersonville, Fayette County, northeastwardly through Fayette and Madison Counties to Sedalia, and from said Jeffersonville southwestwardly through Fayette, Greene and Clinton Counties to Kingman, all in said State of Ohio, and constituting the properties heretofore belonging to the Detroit Southern Railroad Company as now constructed and operated, together with all the rights of ways, depot grounds, yards, terminal property and rights and all such real and personal property as may be germane to or necessary for the construction, operation and maintenance of said several lines of railroad and made a part of or placed upon the lines of railroad hereinbefore described; also, all the locomotives, engines, cars, rolling stock of every kind, tools, machinery of every kind, rails, spikes, joint fastenings, timbers, ties, superstructure and material of every kind necessary to be used in the construction, maintenance and operation of said lines of railroad, and also all the rights, powers, privileges and franchises now or formerly of or belonging to the said Railroad Company, with all the appurtenances in anywise thereunto belonging, and all other property now or formerly held by said Railroad Company in connection therewith, and all rights, franchises privileges pertaining thereto.

(Excepting from the foregoing described property so much thereof as upon an exchange of certain depot property at or near Springfield, Ohio, was conveyed by the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company and its receivers to the Cincinnati, Sandusky and Cleveland Railroad Company, the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railway Company and the Columbus, Springfield and Cincinnati Railroad Company, and were released by the complainant Central Trust Company of New York as Trustee of the said Ohio Southern Division Mortgage dated June 1, 1901, by three instruments all dated the 26th day of March, 1908; one running from said Central Trust Company of New York to the Cincinnati, Sandusky & Cleveland Railroad Company; another from said Central Trust Company of New York to the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company, and the third from Central Trust Company of New York to the Columbus, Springfield & Cincinnati Railroad Company. All of said deeds and releases are of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clark in the State of Ohio.

The lands thus conveyed to the Cincinnati, Sandusky & Cleveland Railroad Company were in the said deed and release thereof described as follows:

"The real estate in the City of Springfield in the County of Clark and State of Ohio, upon which the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company and its predecessors have heretofore constructed, maintained and operated certain railroad tracks, the centre lines of which tracks are more particularly described as follows: From the intersection of the North Line of Monroe Street with the West Line of Linden Avenue measure northwardly along said west line of Linden Avenue three hundred and twenty-one and five-tenths (321.5) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of sixty-nine degrees and fifty-two minutes (69° 52') one hundred and seventy-three and nine-tenths (173.9) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of seven degrees and four minutes (7° 4') seventy-five and seven-tenths (75.7) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of two degrees and twenty-six minutes (2° 26') fifty (50) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of five degrees and twenty-four minutes (5° 24') fifty (50) feet to the place of beginning; thence from said place of beginning along the last described course fifty (50) feet; thence northwestwardly at angle to the left of five degrees and fourteen minutes (5° 14') fifty (50) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the right of five degrees and fifty-one minutes (5° 51') one hundred (100) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the right of ten degrees and eleven minutes (10° 11') seventy-seven (77) feet to a point of switch; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of fifty-eight minutes (58') seventy-three (73) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of three degrees and fifty-five minutes (3° 55') one hundred (100) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of six degrees and fifty-six minutes (6° 56') eighty-six (86) feet. Also from the above located point of switch northwestwardly at an angle to the right of four degrees and thirty-five minutes (4° 35') seventy-three (73) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of six degrees and thirty-three minutes (6° 33') one hundred (100) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of nine degrees and fifty-one minutes (9° 51') eighty-six (86) feet to a point one hundred and fifty-eight and three-tenths (158.3) feet south of the intersection of the north line of Washington Street with the west line of Spring Street."

The lands thus conveyed to the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company were in the said deed and release thereof described as follows:

"Real Estate situate in the City of Springfield, in the County of Clark and State of Ohio, to wit: a part of outlot Number eight (8), old number five (5), beginning at an iron bar driven down at a point in the west marginal line of Spring Street as now opened ninety-five (95) feet more or less southwardly from the south side of Washington Street as now opened; thence southwardly along said west marginal line of Spring Street sixty-five (65) feet to a point where an iron spike is driven down; thence north eighty-nine degrees (89°) west on the north boundary line of premises conveyed to A. D. Rogers by deed dated May 16th, 1857, by William White and wife and recorded in the Deed Records of said Clark County in Volume 37, at page 101, one hundred and forty-six (146) feet; thence north sixty-five (65) feet to the south boundary line of real estate belonging to the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company; thence east along said south boundary line one hundred and forty-six (146) feet to the place of beginning, being the same real estate acquired by the Ohio Southern Railroad Company (the predecessor of The Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company) by condemnation proceedings as recorded in the records of the Probate Court of said Clark County in volume eight, at page 267; together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, and all the right, title and interest of the said party of the first part, of, in and to the same, to the intent that the lands hereby conveyed may be discharged from said mortgage and that the rest of the lands in said mortgage specified may remain to the said party of the first part."

The lands thus conveyed to the Columbus, Springfield & Cincinnati Railroad Company were in the said deed and release thereof described as follows:

"The real estate in the City of Springfield in Clark County in the State of Ohio upon which The Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company and its predecessors have heretofore constructed, maintained and operated a certain railroad track, the centre line of which track is described as follows: From the intersection of the north line of Monroe Street with the west line of Linden Avenue measure northwardly along said west line of Linden Avenue three hundred and twenty-one and five-tenths (321.5) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of sixty-nine degrees and fifty-two minutes (69° 52') one hundred and seventy-three and nine-tenths (173.9) feet to the place of beginning. Thence from said place of beginning northwestwardly at an angle to the left of seven degrees and four minutes (7° 4') seventy-five and seven-tenths (75.7) feet; thence northwestwardly at an angle to the left of two degrees and twenty-six minutes (2° 26') fifty (50) feet."

The following described Real Estate situate in the City of Springfield in the County of Clark and in the State of Ohio, to wit: From the intersection of the North Line of Monroe Street with the East Line of Limestone Street measure northwardly along said East Line of Limestone Street 257.4 feet for the place of beginning. Thence from said place of beginning Eastwardly at right angles 206.3 feet thence Northwardly at right angles 46 feet thence Westwardly at right angles 206.3 feet to said East Line of Limestone Street thence Southwardly at right angles and along said East Line of Limestone Street 46 feet to the place of beginning containing 218-1000 of an acre be the same more or less, and all the estate title and interest of the complainant Central Trust Company of New York and of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company and receiver thereof either in law or in equity, in and to the said real estate, together with all the privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging, and all the rents, issues and profits thereof.

All the estate, title and interest of the complainant Central Trust Company of New York and of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company and the receiver thereof in and to a certain Indenture of Lease made on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1907, between the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company, The Cincinnati, Sandusky and Cleveland Railroad Company, The Columbus, Springfield and Cincinnati Railway Company as Lessors and The Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company as Lessee, and recorded June 25, 1908, in the office of the Recorder of Clark County, Ohio, in Deed Records, Volume 162, page 382, wherein and whereby there was leased and demised by the said Lessors unto the said The Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company, its successors and assigns, certain pieces or parcels of real estate in the City of Springfield, County of Clark and State of Ohio, therein described; together with the unexpired term thereof with the right, title and interest therein and thereto of the complainant Central Trust Company of New York and of The Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company, subject to all the terms, provisions and agreements in said lease contained; And also all the right, title and interest of the complainant Central Trust Company of New York and of The Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company and the receiver thereof in and to that certain memorandum of agreement between the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railway Company of the first part and The Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company of the second part, dated the 15th day of August, 1907, relating to and concerning the property described in the aforesaid lease.

The following described equipment:—Freight Equipment: 138 flat cars, 2,338 gondola cars, 79 dump cars, 842 box cars, 1 refrigerator car, and 44 stock cars. Miscellaneous Cars: 24 reg. std 8 wheel cabooses, 1 reg. std 4 wheel caboose, 4 temporary cabooses, 1 steam shovel car, 8 boarding and bunk cars, 6 bridge cars, 1 ballast unloader car, 2 tool cars, 2 scale test cars and 1 gravel spreader car. Wrecking cars: 3 hand derrick cars, 1 diner car, 12 tool and supply cars, and 1 tie and rail car. Passenger cars: 4 baggage mail and express cars, 1 combination car, 1 baggage car, 4 compartment cars, 8 coaches, 1 official car and 1 miners' car; 40 engines and 25 cabooses.

With said property there shall be included and sold one-half of the supplies and materials in the possession of the Receiver at the time of sale, the division thereof to be made by the Receiver subject to order of the Court, and also one-half of the locomotives, cars and equipment generally belonging thereto and purchased during the receivership under authority of the Court, all such equipment to be taken by the purchaser subject to the terms and conditions of any equipment trust agreement, or agreement for repairs or purchase, the identity of the equipment to be determined by the Receiver in accordance with the records in his possession subject to supervisory order of the Court.

For a more specific description of such railroad, property, premises, franchises and equipment so to be sold, reference is made to said foreclosure decree filed in the office of the Clerk of said Court at Columbus, Ohio, on the 19th day of December, 1912.

The above mentioned railroads, property, premises and franchises specifically described herein and in said decree as aforesaid will be sold as an entirety in one.

The Special Master will accept no bid of less than $1,550,000 for the railroads, property, premises and franchises directed to be sold by said decree, and no bid will be accepted by said Special Master unless the bidder place in his hands at the time of bidding, as a part of his bid and a pledge to make the same good if accepted and the sale confirmed, the sum of $100,000 in cash, by certified check, or certificate of deposit approved by the Special Master, which sum shall be forfeited in case the bidder who is successful shall fail to make good his bid and comply with the terms of the said decree and of any orders thereafter made as to future payments or otherwise, but the same shall be applied on the purchase price in case of such compliance, or returned in case the bid is not successful or the sale shall not be confirmed by the Court. The right of the Court is reserved to reject any bid and to re-take and re-sell the property, or any part thereof, upon failure of the purchaser to comply with any order of the Court as to the payment of the remainder of the purchase price, or any part thereof, or upon failure of the purchaser to comply with any condition of the sale or any order of the Court in that regard. Included in the upset price of $1,550,000 above mentioned is the sum of $139,940.80, with interest thereon to September 1, 1912, in the further sum of $25,518.31, being that portion of the receivers' certificates issued and outstanding which is apportionable against the mortgaged railroads, property, premises and franchises if established as a claim prior to the aforesaid Ohio Southern Division mortgage, and the purchaser or purchasers, in lieu of depositing in the registry of the Court said sum of $139,940.80, together with the interest amounting to $25,518.31, may as part of such purchase price give a bond in such amount as shall be approved by the Court, conditioned upon the payment of said sum, with the interest accrued and to accrue thereon, if established as a claim prior to said Ohio Southern Division mortgage.

So much of the purchase price as is not in said decree directed to be paid in cash may be paid either in cash or in claims payable under article 4 of said decree, or in receivers' certificates payable under article 4 of said decree, or in bonds issued under said Ohio Southern Division mortgage, with overdue coupons thereof, at such proportion of value as the holders thereof would be entitled to receive thereon on distribution of the proceeds of the sale, in case the purchase price were wholly paid in cash.

All taxes and assessments upon the railroads, property, premises and franchises sold, and all said receivers' certificates, and all claims payable under said article 4 of the said decree, will be allowed out of the purchase money, where the purchaser produces proof of such liens and claims, and receipts for the payment thereof, or surrenders such certificates, and the Special Master will in his discretion accept temporarily, instead of the actual delivery of the said bonds and coupons or receivers' certificates, the certificate of any trust company satisfactory to him that it holds the said bonds and coupons or receivers' certificates subject to the order of said Special Master, and will deliver them to him on demand, for cancellation or other disposition.

Any person proposing to purchase at the said sale the said railroad property, premises, franchises and equipment is referred to the said decree in this notice specifically mentioned for a more full and complete description of the railroads, property, premises, franchises and equipment therein directed to be sold which it is proposed to sell in accordance with this notice, and also for the terms and conditions upon which the sale of the said railroads, property, premises, franchises and equipment shall be made. Certified copies of the said decree will be in the possession of the said Special Master at the time and place of sale, and may be inspected by interested persons or bidders.

Dated December 20th, 1912.
ELMER W. VOORHEIS,
Special Master.
JOLINE, LARKIN & RATHBONE,
HOYT, DUSTIN, KELLEY, McKEEHAN & ANDREWS,
Solicitors for Complainant.

Bankruptcy Notices

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHern District of New York.—In the matter of NATHAN MISEL, Alleged Bankrupt.

It appearing to my satisfaction by the petition of Arthur Leonard Rosenberg, verified the 30th day of December, 1912, that a petition in bankruptcy was filed in this court on the 11th day of December, 1912, praying that the alleged bankrupt above named, Nathan Misel, be adjudged a bankrupt, and that a subpoena directed to the said alleged bankrupt was duly issued out of this court to the Marshal of this district, and that the said Marshal has been unable to serve the same and that the said alleged bankrupt evades service of process in this district so that personal service may not be made upon him, and that diligent efforts have since been made to ascertain the whereabouts of the said alleged bankrupt, but that he is not now within the jurisdiction of this court, it is now on motion of Arthur Leonard Rosenberg, Esq., attorney for the petitioning creditors,

ORDERED: That the above-named alleged bankrupt plead, answer, or demur on or before the 15th day of January, 1913, to the petition herein filed in the office of the Clerk of this court on the 11th day of December, 1912, and in case of his failure to plead, answer, or demur thereto, adjudication shall be made according to the prayer of said petition. And it is further

ORDERED: That this order be published in The New York Times once a week for two successive weeks, said publication to commence not later than the 31st day of December, 1912, and that a copy of this order be mailed to the said alleged bankrupt at his last known address, 365 West 58th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the date of the first publication.

Dated New York, December 30th, 1912.
GEO. C. HOLT, D. J.

Bankruptcy Sales

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT to an order of Hon. George C. Holt, Justice of the United States District Court, that Charles Shongood, Auctioneer, will sell this day, December 31st, 1912, at 10:30 A. M., at No. 232 West Street, New York City, the entire property of The Covering & Supply Company, bankrupt, consisting of pipe covering material, fireproofing material, miscellaneous material, desks, tables, cabinets, chairs, safes, typewriters, and miscellaneous office fittings.
JAMES S. LEHMAIER, Receiver.

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Captains Only Report Those in Which Arrests Are Made, Curran Committee Hears.

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Houses Against Which Citizens Protested Not Among Suspected Places in Statements to Headquarters.

The Curran Committee recalled Police Capt. John D. Ormsby of the Fifteenth Precinct as a witness yesterday, and for nearly three hours Emory R. Buckner, the committee's counsel, questioned him about the system of precinct administration established by Commissioner Waldo. Mr. Buckner selected Capt. Ormsby for this examination because the Fifteenth Precinct is in the heart of the First Inspection District, where Inspector Cahalane commands. It takes in many of the cross streets and avenues where the gunmen thrive, and where stuss and other gambling games are numerous.

Capt. Ormsby was an unsatisfactory witness. He answered questions with reluctance, and he refused to express an opinion as to whether the system established by Mr. Waldo was a good one. Toward the close of his examination, Mr. Buckner asked the witness about specific resorts in the precinct, with a view to establishing the method of reporting them to Mr. Waldo. It was hard to pin the Captain down to a definite statement, but his answers seemed to make it clear that no system of reports existed which would give the Commissioner the addresses of all the suspected resorts in a precinct.

Each police station, the witness said, was supplied with blanks known as "Form 29." The Captains were supposed to fill these out once a month and forward them to Headquarters. This form was supposed to contain the address of every suspected resort and any other information the Captain could gather concerning it. Capt. Ormsby said that when a suspected resort was inspected and no evidence was procured against it no mention of it was made in the monthly reports.

Later on the Captain said that these reports were never mentioned in the monthly reports unless an arrest was made in them. But when it was shown that no arrests had been made in places that had not been listed, he amended his statement to say that sometimes this happened when the Inspector had the matter in hand. To allay any anxiety the Captain might feel that a trap was being set for him, Mr. Buckner said:

"All I am trying to do is to get your conception of your duties toward your Commissioner regarding disorderly resorts, gambling houses, and violations of the excise law. It is a mere accident that you were the first Captain called to testify. I don't want to grill you or to embarrass you in any way."

But this reassurance did not lead the Captain to volunteer any information. Mr. Bucker asked him if he would be surprised to learn that there were ten or twelve suspected resorts in his precinct that did not appear on Form 29. The Captain said he would not be surprised to learn this, and that such an omission would not arouse his suspicions against his subordinates. The Captain protested against these questions, and said he thought the committee was wasting time.

Mr. Buckner produced Form 29 of the Fifteenth Precinct for November, 1911, which contained the address of a gambling house in Second Avenue. After it were the words, "Suppressed; arrest made." The Captain said the house was closed for good, and that it did not appear again in future reports. Then Mr. Buckner read a letter from a citizen, dated Jan. 11, 1912, complaining against this house. "It is ruining my son's career," the writer said, and he appealed to the police to close the place.

"It appears," said Mr. Buckner, "that this letter was sent to the Commissioner and was then referred to Inspector Cahalane. Do you remember it?"

"No; I don't remember anything about it," replied the Captain.

"On this letter is a note to the Commissioner dated Feb. 5, saying that proper police action was taken. This memorandum is signed by the Inspector. Did the matter ever get around to you?" Mr. Buckner asked.

The Captain said that the letter probably came to his station and the complaint was found to be groundless.

Mr. Buckner then read another letter signed "Information" and bearing the date of Jan. 18, 1912. It said that a number of gambling houses existed in the precinct, and that they paid from $120 to $500 a month for protection. Nearly a dozen addresses of alleged gambling houses were given in this communication. Among them was the one in Second Avenue.

"Don't you think," asked Mr. Buckner, "that when two complaints of the same house come to you your suspicions should be aroused, and that the house should go back on the suspected list?"

"I don't recall that the place was running," replied the witness.

"In the fourteen months you were in command of the Fifteenth Precinct did you ever put any houses back on the suspected list after they had once been removed from it?" Mr. Buckner said.

The object of this question was to discover if there was any reason to suspect the police of closing a gambling house temporarily to remove suspicion that it was protected. This was the method that Mrs. Goode and George A. Sipp said was adopted toward disorderly resorts. The Captain asserted that he thought some of them had been restored to the suspected list, but Mr. Buckner said:

"Our tabulators cannot find a single instance where this was done. Can you swear that this letter ever came to you?"

"I can't swear to it. I have always thought that all complaints about houses came to me, but I can't swear that they all do," the Captain replied.

"We have the Inspector's files here, and they don't contain any letters from you acknowledging receipt of these two letters. But there is a memorandum on them saying you had been notified. That would make it appear that you did receive them—that you investigated and found no gambling at the addresses given?"

The Captain said that many unfounded complaints came to him, and he bore heavily upon the character of the residents of the precinct. He said many of them were quarrelsome and were always complaining about one another. Mr. Buckner them asked:

"Would it surprise you to learn that during your fourteen months' service in the precinct 256 disorderly resorts and 123 gambling houses were complained of that never got on Form 29?"

"Those figures are excessive," replied the Captain.

"Did you find all the places complained against that you did not put on Form 29 to be unjustly reported as disorderly?"

"Either I did or the Inspector's men did."

"Would you be surprised if we dug out a list of twenty-two alleged disorderly resorts against which there were five or more complaints, and showed that none of them was entered upon Form 29?"

"No," replied the witness promptly, "there might be that many."

"Would not five complaints against the same house arouse your suspicions?"

"Yes, but I would investigate then or the Inspector's men would before they went on the form."

Then Mr. Buckner asked the Captain if he would be surprised to learn that there were more than sixty-five disorderly resorts against which two or more complaints had been made, and which did not appear on the list of suspected places. The Captain coolly replied that he would not be surprised to learn this.

"Then," said Mr. Buckner, "the number of 256 disorderly resorts does not seem so excessive after all?"

"It seems an awful lot," replied the Captain.

Mr Buckner then questioned the witness about addresses of resorts concerning the bad character of which there was no question at all. Some of these places had appeared upon Form 29, but many of them had escaped being listed. Mr. Buckner could not understand this, he said, especially as the Captain seemed to be familiar with the resorts. One of the addresses was that of the cider shop of Annie Sugar, which the committee heard some weeks ago was robbed as the result of a conspiracy between the police and a gang of gunmen.

Capt. Ormsby's testimony showed that an Inspector could send out plain clothes men to i[illegible] any places in his district, and that the Captain might not know any[illegible] this was done the [illegible] would not appear upon the reports sent to the Commissioner. The Captain was asked about the house in Second Street where Robert Schobel lived, who accused Sergeant O'Grady of trying to extort money from him. The witness said this was a disorderly resort. The Captain was then excused, but he was told to appear next Friday at 2 o'clock, when the committee would meet again.

APOLOGIZE TO POLICEMAN.

Women Called Him a Grafter and Were Arrested for It.

Mrs. Alice O'Connell, 34 years old, of 160 Smith Street, and Miss Julia Stans, 22 years old, of 185 Bergen Street, Brooklyn, were arraigned yesterday before Chief Magistrate Otto Kempner in the Adams Street Court, on charges preferred by Policeman Tomb of the Adams Street Station. The women were arrested at Jay Street and Myrtle Avenue early in the morning after they had called Tomb a grafter. They pleaded guilty, and appeared to take the matter lightly when the Magistrate intimated that he would suspend sentence. Magistrate Kempner noticed that the two young women were laughing. Bringing his gavel down on his desk, he remarked sternly:

"This is no laughing matter. Before you leave here you will have to apologize publicly in open court. I'll not suspend sentence until you do so."

They apologized and the policeman appeared satisfied.

HUNTING MISSING WITNESS.

Whitman Gets Delay of Trial of Becker's Former Aids.

The trial of Detectives Charles C. Steinert and James White, members of the Strong Arm Squad when it was under command of Charles Becker, now in the death house at Sing Sing, who were to have gone to trial yesterday for perjury in the case of Jack Zelig, the murdered gangster, was postponed on the plea of the prosecution that one of the State's most important witnesses was missing. The witness, Mrs. Greenberg, is said to have heard Zelig accuse Steinert and White of plotting a "frame up" on him. Mrs. Greenberg also is expected to testify that she saw Zelig searched and that no pistol was found on him. The District Attorney is trying to locate Mrs. Greenberg.

PATROLMAN FOX RELEASED.

Police Unable to Produce Men Who Charged Him with Extortion.

Patrolman Eugene Fox was discharged yesterday by Magistrate Kernochan in the Tombs Court because the police were not able to produce George A. Sipp and Thomas J. Dorian, who accused Fox of extorting money from them for protecting a hotel at 124th Street and Lexington Avenue. District Attorney Whitman had predicted that Fox would be discharged, holding that his arrest was premature. After Sipp and Dorian had told their stories to the Curran Committee, Mr. Whitman assigned two detectives to trail the accused policeman in an effort to procure corroboration of the charges. Before sufficient evidence was obtained, Fox was arrested by order of Police Commissioner Waldo. He was arraigned in court last week, and at the request of Assistant District Attorney Nolan the hearing was put over until yesterday.

Mr. Nolan told the Magistrate yesterday that he had been asked by the police to request another adjournment of forty-eight hours in the hope that Sipp and Dorian might be found. The Magistrate wanted some guarantee that the witnesses would be forthcoming at the time specified, but no one could furnish it.

Fox is now under suspension for insubordination, growing out of his refusal to answer questions put to him by Inspector Schmittberger as to the charges of Sipp and Dorian. He will be put on trial at Police Headquarters soon.

The trial of Patrolman Ernest E. Buckland on the charge of making a false report in connection with the arrest of Mrs. Annie Miller, keeper of a disorderly resort, was resumed at Police Headquarters yesterday. Mrs. Miller amplified her charges against Buckland by saying that when the case against her came up in the Magistrates' Court, Buckland tried to induce her to dismiss the lawyer she had employed and to retain one whose card he gave her.

DON'T SEEK WALDO'S REMOVAL.

Allan Robinson, Chairman of the Citizens' Committee appointed at the Cooper Union mass meeting on Aug. 14 to look into the Rosenthal case in its relation to the police, issued this statement yesterday:

"The statement published in the public press this morning to the effect that the Citizens' Committee appointed at the Cooper Union mass meeting last August has under consideration the attempted removal from office of Police Commissioner Waldo is entirely unfounded. The committee has never considered this matter, nor has it been discussed at any of the meetings of either the General Committee or of the Executive Committee.

"I am surprised that the newspapers should have published any such report, for when I was questioned on the matter last evening I specifically denied the truth of the report in the terms above set forth. The Citizens' Committee is engaged upon a constructive programme for legislative and other reforms, with a view to removing, so far as possible, the underlying causes which have brought about the present police situation. The committee has not only not sought publicity, but has purposely avoided it, as its work was of a kind which could best be done without publicity, at least in its present stage."

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Also it should *increase* our business in these our finest garments another *30 per cent* before summer.

Here, in a nutshell, is the idea:

AN ADVERTISING PLAN

To demonstrate their beauty, their quality, their perfection, we are marking ALL the highest class Smith Gray & Co. Sack Suits, in our four stores, which are priced at: $30, $32.50, $35, $37.50, $40 & $45 DOWN TO $22.50

The resulting loss on every sale to be charged to advertising.

Absolutely *no sack suits* have been *reserved*—and none have been *removed* from our stores.

Naturally our *heavy losses* on sales will not permit us to continue this Demonstration *beyond a limited period*, and immediately after the closing day every garment left unsold will be *marked up to its original price.*

We are reaching out for *men of discrimination* who are accustomed to *$40.00* and *$45.00* suits. We give them an *opportunity* to learn of ours at a cost of *$22.50*.

The *custom tailored* man who pays prices beyond all reason to his tailor will find he is *some $30.00* ahead of the game—that he has *saved valuable time* and *gained some* [illegible]

Smith Gray & Co.
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BROADWAY AT WARREN ST.—NEW YORK—8TH AV. BET. 27TH & 28TH STS.
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